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TO SETTLE THE STRIKE

Gov. Stephens in St. Louis Thursday; Ordered Police to Open Lindell Road for an Object Lesson; Conferring With Both Sides.

Suburban Main Line Is Running and Lindell Open to Taylor Avenue.

WORLD'S FAIR BILL UNDER WAY.

Slight Amendments Made by House Committees.

TO BE HELD "AT" ST. LOUIS.

BOARD OF MANAGERS REDUCED IN NUMBER.

The Amount of Appropriation Discussed, but Action on That Feature Will Be Taken Friday.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The special World's Fair committee of the House, which has under consideration the St. Louis World's Fair bill, appropriating $5,000,000 for the centennial aniversary of the Louisiana Purchase, held a two-hours' session this forenoon.

They considered the Lane bill section by section, and several important changes were made, although the section carrying the $5,000,000 appropriation was not reached.

To-morrow the committee will meet again and the report will doubtless be ordered at this session.

Among the changes made to-day was the substitution of the word "at" for "in" in the section providing that the Fair shall be held in the city of St. Louis. As amended the clause provides that the Fair shall be held "at" the city of St. Louis.

This change was made in order that the executive management of the Fair may not be hampered by the city limits. The Fair therefore may be held in grounds extending beyond the present municipal limits. Another important change made by the committee was in reducing the Board of World's Fair Commissioners.

The bill provides there should be two commissioners from each state and territory in the Union and eight commissioners at large, consisting of the World's Fair Board of Management.

This was changed to read one commissioner from each state and territory and five commissioners at large.

The number of commissioners was reduced because the committee thought that the larger number might cause trouble and inconvenience. A proposition to provide for a board of appeals, to be composed of the five commissioners at large, was discussed, but was not acted on at the session to-day. It will be passed upon to-morrow.

The committee also discussed at length the various sections providing for the issue of bonds by the exposition management, but final action on these was also postponed until to-morrow. While no action was taken on the section appropriating the $5,000,000 asked from the government, it was discussed and no marked opposition to it was shown. It is confidently predicted by the friends and advocates of the fair that after the report is made it will be for the original sum asked for by St. Louis and the Purchase states.

ARE THE MOTHERS AT FAULT?

Chicago Homeopaths Conclude Not Over One Woman in 100 Is Physically Fitted to Rear Children.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, May 10.—The Illinois Homeopathic Medical Association says American women are physically unfitted to be mothers.

Accusations were made at the recent convention that many women had no right to bring children into the world that more were unable to nourish them because that exhausted their vitality in social functions, and that nearly all women left the care of young children after a certain age to school teachers.

Dr. Julia Holmes Smith said:

"I maintain that 999 out of every 1000 mothers are not fit to bring up their children from the day the little ones are born. Perhaps I ought to say that these figures are based on observations made among only two classes of people—the two extremes of social life.

"I refer to the society woman who dawdles from the time she arises until she goes to the ball and the working woman, who spends her days in the factory or the shop. Both exhaust their vitality, and, although they may possess all the instincts of motherhood, they are not able to do their duty to the child."

Dr. Fredericka Baker said: "Mothers do not go into details of food and clothing as they should. And these are most important because upon them depends the future of the child. Ninety per cent of the ills from which children suffer are brought on by lack of the mothers' care in clothing and feeding them. Years ago we understood that scurvy was to be found only on shipboard, and as the result of poor food and lack of sanitary arrangements. Yet it is here in Chicago. It is not hereditary, and it is in our best families?"

NOT JUST LIKE ENOCH ARDEN

First Husband of a Missouri Widow Who Was Mourned as Dead Reappears in Georgia.

HANNIBAL, Mo., May 10.—Abner Knight, who for 17 years has been thought dead, is alive. His wife remarried in the meanwhile, but a few years ago her second husband died. The first husband has not yet returned to claim his wife.

Knight came here shortly after the Civil war with his wife and several children. Seventeen years ago he went to Georgia to visit relatives and disappeared. Soon after word came from them that the body of a man had been found, which they had every reason to believe was that of Mr. Knight.

Mrs. Knight within a few years married Milford McElroy of Saverton township, who had become a widower since Mr. Knight's departure. Mr. McElroy died a few years ago, and his widow at present lives in this city.

Now comes the news in a letter received by Mr. Knight's daughter direct from his relatives in Georgia that he is alive and is teaching school in that locality.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

FAIR AND WARMER.

For St. Louis and vicinity—Fair and warmer Thursday night and Friday.

Missouri and Illinois—Fair and warmer Thursday night and Friday.

Tennessee and Kentucky—Fair and warmer Thursday night and Friday; variable winds, shifting to southeasterly.

Mississippi, Eastern Texas, Oklahoma, Indian Territory, Arkansas—Fair Thursday night and Friday; fresh easterly winds.

POST-DISPATCH PLAN IS RIGHT.

This Is the Opinion of the People.

MANY WORDS OF APPROVAL.

PUBLIC WANT THE STRIKE SETTLED AT ONCE.

The Main Thing to Be Considered Is How to Settle the Trouble With the Least Possible Damage to Every One.

The Post-Dispatch's suggestion that the questions involved in the controversy between the St. Louis Transit Co. and its employes be submitted to the seven circuit judges or to a body of citizens of equal standing, fairness and ability, with a distinct understanding that both sides shall abide by the decision of such a commission, is receiving the further commendation of representative citizens.

On every hand the desire is expressed that the difficulties shall be adjusted as quickly as possible in the interest of the public, which is conceded to be the greatest sufferer. Here are some expressions of approval given to the Post-Dispatch Thursday morning:

H. C. Tatum, secretary and treasurer of the Western Commercial Travelers' Association, expressed himself as more than pleased with the suggestion of the Post-Dispatch. He says:

"No fairer proposition could be made than that the circuit judges or some other body of representative citizens act as a board of adjustment to settle this strike. Clearly there are things to be arbitrated, and what we all want now is peace. Law and order, of course, must be maintained, but the public at large most desires that the strike shall be settled.

"If the agreement of March 10 could be temporarily restored it might be wise. Under that the men could continue at work until a board of adjustment could settle the difficulties, which both sides should be compelled to abide by. I am strongly in favor of the plan of the Post-Dispatch."

Charles A. Stix of the Grand-Leader believes the strike should be settled by arbitration.

"If the scheme suggested by the Post-Dispatch," said he, "of having the seven St. Louis Circuit Judges or other good responsible citizens act as a board of arbitration is mutually agreed to by the management of the St. Louis Transit Co. and the union men, it seems to me the difficulty would soon be remedied. But both sides should be bound to acquiesce in the decision of the arbitrators if they agree to arbitration.

"If not the circuit judges, then prominent representatives of the business community should be called on to force a solution of the problem. Something must be done and that quickly."

F. C. Lake of B. Nugent & Bro. Dry Goods Co., said:

"Let us have arbitration. The circuit judges of St. Louis should, in my judgment, handle the points at issue. But the main thing is to induce the transit company management and the union to submit to arbitration and have the finding of the arbitration board made binding upon both parties."

Amadee B. Cole of the Merchants' Exchange—I would be very glad to see the questions in controversy between the St. Louis Transit Co. and its men submitted to the seven judges of the Circuit Court. I can conceive of no body of St. Louisans more thoroughly qualified to settle such a controversy.

The Post-Dispatch plan is an admirable one in every way. Even if the circuit judges should not be prevailed upon to take the matter up I believe as does the Post-Dispatch that a body of representative men could be found who have the confidence of the people as well as that of the company and the men. The public's interest is the greatest interest in the present contingency.

FAIR WEATHER CONTINUES

Forecaster Hyatt Promises to Aid the City's Walking Population.

Forecaster Hyatt promises that the weather will continue to be favorable for walking as it has been since the cars ceased running.

He says there is no rain in sight and that the high barometer prevailing over the Mississippi Valley makes it practically certain that the weather will not be oppressively warm, though the temperature will rise slightly during the next 24 hours.

There is a low coming in from the Rocky Mountain region, but so far it has not been accompanied by rain.

His official prediction is that it will be fair and warmer Thursday night and Friday.

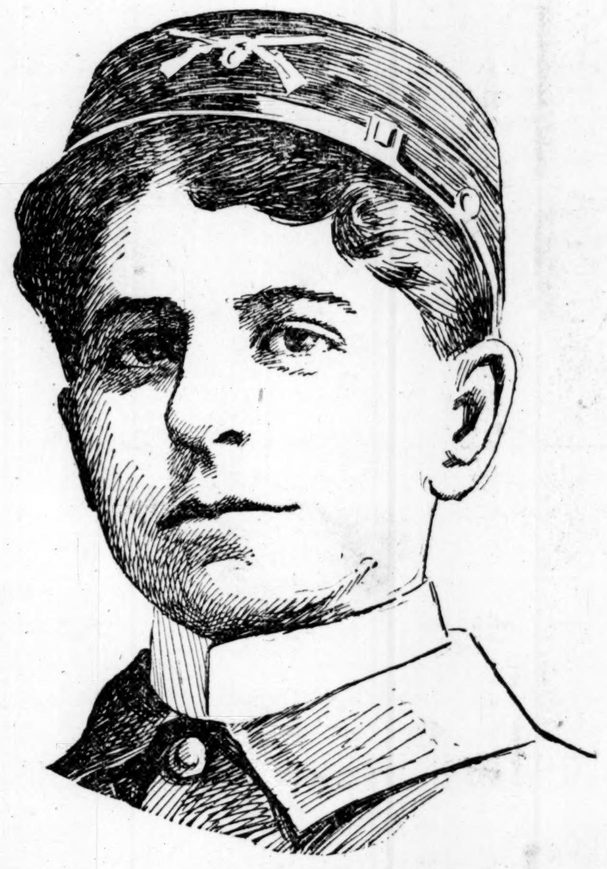
KANSAS CITY TO BE TIED UP

Employes of the Metropolitan Street Railway Organize to Demand 20 Cents an Hour.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 10.—There is strong proability of a strike soon by the employes of the Metropolitan Street Railway Co., which controls all of the street lines here, except that to Heim's Brewery. Delegates from St. Louis began canvassing for the organization of a street railway men's union a few days ago. When the Metropolitan learned of the move, it discharged two dozen employes known to be interested. This added fuel to the flame and to-day the union workers claim to have the pledges of 700 out of 1000 employes.

A big meeting was held last night and another was in session at noon to-day. So soon as forces are ready, the men will demand 20 cents an hour per man, regardless of time of service. Recently the Metropolitan voluntarily changed its scale of wages from 15 and 17 cents an hour to 15 cents for the first year, 16 for the second and third, 18 for the fourth and 20 cents for the fifth or above. The four and five-year men are not joining the union. The Metropolitan claims the union workers have less than 300 sympathizers and that even though a strike be ordered, it will not do more than partially cripple the service. A stumbling block in the Metropolitan's way is that the Heim line is paying 20 cents an hour to new men.



FRANK LIEBRECHT, THE STRIKE'S FIRST VICTIM.

Frank Liebrecht, 21 years old, who lived at 4872 Easton avenue, and was a private in the Sixteenth Infantry at San Juan, was the first victim of the strike. He was shot in a riot at the intersection of Taylor avenue and the Suburban tracks at 8:30 Wednesday night and died within a few minutes.

Liebrecht was one of the crowd of several hundred persons. He was on the lawn in front of the Baptist Sanitarium. A westbound Suburban car, which stopped at Taylor avenue to discharge passengers, was stoned. Shots were fired by persons on the car and, it is said, by others in the crowd. Accounts differ as to which side assaulted first.

Liebrecht was the only man shot. He was carried into the sanitarium and died there.

Dan Donovan of 343 Cabanne court, a Suburban employe, who was on the car, and admits that he fired into the crowd, was arrested. The following men, who were on the car, were also arrested: William Musgrove, motorman, of 5047 Maple avenue; John Nolte, conductor, of 1018 DeHodiamont avenue; Michael Conway, motorman, of 2000 South Jefferson avenue; Charles A. Ronan, conductor, of 5209 Bartmer avenue and Frank Powers, inspector, of 6059 Horton place.

Chief of Police Campbell said Thursday: "I do not know whether Liebrecht was stoning the car or not, but he was in the crowd and therefore equally guilty.

THE UNION'S POSITION.

Joseph F. Murphy, chairman of the press committee of the strikers' union, gave the following statement to the Post-Dispatch Thursday:

Several misconceptions regarding the true character of the agreement submitted by our grievance committee to President Edwards Whitaker on last Friday have become current through the publication of erroneous interpretations of some clauses of that agreement. In order that the position of the union may be more clearly made known, this explanation of our meaning and our stand is made public.

We feel that if a man is suspended for an alleged infraction of the rules of the company and, upon a fair trial, is found innocent, he should be and is fairly entitled to pay for such time lost by reason of his suspension. If he is acquitted, the company failing to make a case against him, then the injustice of requiring him to lose his pay while suspended is perfectly plain. If he is guilty and the offense is of a character warranting his discharge, we do not ask that he be retained in the service of the company. The grievance committee investigates each violation of the company's rules and when satisfied that the man is guilty, has not and will not attempt to secure the reinstatement of any such man.

The union has never attempted to dictate to the company in anything. Particularly in the employment of men is this true. Neither does the proposed agreement give us this privilege. The idea of the union was to have a man hired by the company apply to the union for a working card. This card would be granted him after he was broken in satisfactorily to the company. This man would then be eligible to a position on the road and membership in the union. This system of working cards is one which is in use in many trades in St. Louis, and has been for years. No objection, for instance, has been found by employing printers to this rule. During the thirty days the ability of a printer working under a permit, such as we suggest, is ascertained, and he does not have the opportunity to join the union if he is not a full qualified workman. This is a protection to employer as well as employes. The transit company will not employ a man lacking the ability as a motorman or conductor. The union does not want the privilege of hiring or discharging men.

That section of the proposed agreement which binds the company to suspend any man who is suspended by the union was incorporated in the agreement for the purpose of delegating a kind of supervisory power over the conduct of men. It is well known that the company's officers cannot see and punish every considerable offense against the rules. This clause would bind members of the union to inform the company of any gross violation thereof.

The union proposes that in case a member is unjustly suspended by the company at the request of the union he shall receive pay for the time lost, this payment to be made from the treasury of the union.

The union will submit all existing differences, including the proposed agreement, to the action of a board of arbitrators and honestly abide by its decision.

NON-UNIONISM THE POINT AT ISSUE.

W. D. Mahon, national president of the union, who is directing the strike for the men, made the following statement to the Post-Dispatch Thursday:

We have the situation well in hand and are satisfied with the developments up to date.

The issue before us now is unionism. The attitude of the railway companies is a direct attack at the very principles of unionism, and the defeat of 4000 men representing this issue in the city of St. Louis will be a severe blow to organized labor in one of its strongholds; therefore the railway employes cannot afford to be defeated and will not be.

The labor organizations of the city cannot permit such an overthrow.

We contend that our position is a just and a logical one and our assertion is strengthened by our willingness to submit our contention to arbitration. This we are especially anxious that the public should understand.

As employes of the street railway companies of St. Louis, we have been instrumental in bringing these companies to their present high standard of excellence, and when the companies claim we have no interest in the roads but one of avaricious gain their sole object can be nothing else than an effort to prejudice the business community in their favor.

LINDELL MAIN LINE OPENED.

Ten Cars Started at Short Intervals From Taylor and Finney Avenues Under Police Guard at 3 O'Clock.

Assistant Chief of Police Pickel and Assistant Chief of Detectives Smith arrived at Taylor and Finney avenues at 2 o'clock. They were quickly surrounded by a force of about twenty-two officers from the Mounted District and forty patrolmen in front of the sheds at Fairfax and Taylor avenues. Chief Pickel asked them if they had plenty of courage. The reply was in the affirmative. Two extra rounds of cartridges were then given each man. Chief Pickel then instructed them again to do their duty, no matter under what circumstances. A large crowd had gathered by this time on Taylor avenue at the head of Fairfax, and the distribution of cartridges seemed to have quite an impressive effect on them.

Ten more mounted policemen arrived at the car sheds. There are 120 foot patrolmen on hand. These men were all taken from the Suburban line to assist the transit company's line. Chief Campbell arrived on horseback a minute later.

The first car was started down town at 3 o'clock.

POLICE CHIEF CONFIDENT.

Chief of Police Campbell's statement to the Post-Dispatch Thursday:

We have the situation well in hand. We are going to show the people that we can run the cars. We have shown that we can run the Suburban line and later on we will show that we can operate the transit company lines.

When the public thoroughly finds out that we are determined, there will be no more foolishness, and they will let the cars alone.

I have not seen the report on young Liebrecht's death. I do not know whether he was stoning the car or not, but he was in the crowd, and, therefore, equally guilty.

NOT TIME FOR THE SHERIFF YET

He Will Act Promptly If Required, He Says, but He Has Not Been Called on Yet.

Sheriff John H. Pohlman was seen by the Post-Dispatch immediately after he left the office of the chief of police, where he had been in consultation with President Hawes, Chief Campbell, Gov. Stephens and the heads of the street railways.

"I do not think that the time is ripe for the sheriff to take any action in the matter," said Mr. Pohlman. "The police have as yet not demonstrated their inability to handle the matter. When they do that and fail, it will be time for me to act. I think the police will have no trouble in giving all the protection that the occasion warrants. However, we are preparing for an emergency, and if it presents itself, I will act promptly and effectively.

"There has been no formal demand on me to take any part in the matter. I stand ready at any and all times to do my duty. But I have strong hopes that all serious trouble may be avoided and the differences settled without resorting to the use of force."

ARE SLEEPING IN CAR SHEDS

Transit Company Employes Housed and Fed at Taylor and Fairfax Avenues.

A hundred or more employes of the transit company are kept constantly on duty at the Lindell car sheds at Taylor and Fairfax avenues. They are ready to be called out any time and placed in charge of cars.

A large gymnasium on the second floor has been converted into sleeping apartments and the men spend their nights there on comfortable cots.

On the first floor a large supply of ham and cheese sandwiches and a huge boiler of coffee are accessible at all hours.

Prior to Settlement Conferences Warrants for Strike Leaders Were Threatened.

Strikers Are Preparing Plans Intended to Draw to Them From United Labor All the Support Possible.

Gov. Stephens' real purpose in coming to St. Louis is if possible to effect an adjustment of the differences between the transit company and its striking employes.

The long conference at the Four Courts Thursday morning between the governor, the police officials and officials of the transit company was for the purpose of ascertaining the position of the company.

At 1 o'clock Gov. Stephens began a conference at the Southern Hotel with President Mahon of the street railway employes' association, members of the strikers' executive committee and their attorneys for the purpose of ascertaining their position.

This statement of the purpose of the governor is made on the highest authority, that of one who is among his closest advisers.

This person was present at the conference at the Four Courts Thursday morning and declared that all the time was taken up in a discussion of the conflicting claims of the company and the strikers and the possibility of effecting an adjustment. He intimated that President Whitaker and his attorney, Judge H. S. Priest, had signified their willingness to attempt an amicable adjustment.

Gov. Stephens, in order that he might be fully advised as to the legal phases of the questions involved, summoned Attorney-General Crow from Kansas City Wednesday, and they met here Thursday morning.

Mr. Crow was in the peace conference at the Four Courts and hurried with Gov. Stephens at its close to the Southern to meet the laber leaders.

The conference at the Four Courts broke up with the understanding that the same persons would meet again in the afternoon at a time to be set by the governor.

President Mahon, Secretary Missik and Chairman Edwards of the strikers' committee, arrived at the Southern Hotel shortly before 1 o'clock. They were met by their attorneys, Ben Clark, Excise Commissioner Higgins and Paul B. Moore, Gov. Stephen's private secretary. Mr. Moore requested them to wait a few minutes until Gov. Stephens should finish his dinnr, when the conference began.

The conference was executive. There were present when the conference began, Gov. Stephens, Police Board President Harry B. Hawes, Attorney-General Crow, Labor Commissioner Thomas P. Rixey, W. D. Mahon, national president of the union; T. B. Edwards, chairman of the union grievance committee; Mack Missik, local secretary of the union; Attorney Ben F. Clark for the union, and Paul B. Moore, secretary to the governor.

Shortly after 2 o'clock F. W. Lehmann, one of the attorneys for the transit company, appeared at the Southern Hotel, where Gov. Stephens was conferring with the labor leaders. He called Gov. Stephens out into the hall and they held a short conference.

When he left the governor, Mr. Lehmann declined to tell the Post-Dispatch the subject of his conversation with the governor. He was asked if he knew anything about an effort to bring about a conference between the officials of the company and the strike leaders.

"No, I do not," he replied, "but I suppose such a conference could be easily arranged if it were desired."

Shortly after this talk with Gov. Stephens Mr. Lehmann again returned and called the governor out the second time and escorted him down into the parlor, where he was met by a committee of business men, among whom were Thomas H. West, Robert Brookings, George D. Merkel, George O. Carpenter, Henry Haarstike, W. E. Guy, E. C. Simmons, Robert Moore, Major H. M. Merrill, Howard Elliot and Stephen A. Bemis. Mr. West said:

"Governor, we have called here representing the citizens of St. Louis. We want to know what you intend to do regarding the protection of life and property.

OFFICIALS IN CONFERENCE

Governor Stephens, Police Head and Railway Officials Meet Thursday.

President Harry Hawes, Chief Campbell, President Edwards Whitaker of the transit company, General Manager George W. Baumhoff, H. F. Priest and F. W. Lehmann, attorneys for the transit company, held a conference in the chief's office Thursday morning. They discussed the general situation.

The police officials found it necessary to give the men who had been on duty from twenty-four to thirty-six hours some rest.

It was decided to make an effort to secure the use of the old city hall building at Eleventh and Chestnut streets for this purpose. The plan at this time is to put cots in the building and to allow the policemen to sleep there in relays.

As far as possible an effort will be made to have the men work in eight-hour shifts. The first installment of policemen who are to take a rest will be brought downtown Thursday if the arrangements for sleeping quarters can be made.

The sheriff was requested to attend the conference and promised to do so. It is stated at police headquarters that they have 500 rifles and 20,000 rounds of ammunition in the city ready for distribution.

None of the police officials would say anything about the matter of calling out the militia, but it was stated that 450 men could be mustered in the city in four hours.

The understanding Thursday morning was that no attempt would be made to run the cars of the Transit company Thursday. The police will protect the Suburban cars during the day, but it has been decided not to attempt to run them at night.

At 10:30 Sheriff Pohlman arrived and joined the conference.

About twenty minutes later Mr. Whitaker came out of the board room and to the Post-Dispatch stated that up to that time absolutely no action had been taken.

He held a brief conference with Division Superintendent Hunter, who had in his hands some blank forms for the employment of private watchmen, and his conversation appeared to be concerning this matter.

Almost immediately thereafter he returned to the board room.

Gov. Stephens, accompanied by Attorney-General Edward C. Crow, arrived at the chief's office at 10:45. The governor went immediately into the chief's office and Mr. Crow took a seat in the ante-room. The governor reappeared in a minute and asked Mr. Crow to enter the room. Mr. Crow declined. After a few moments in the chief's office the governor entered the board room with Mr. Hawes.

At one stage of the meeting several members of the board expressed dissatisfaction with the attitude assumed by Mayor Ziegenhein in reference to the strike.

It was stated that, although he was ex-officio a member of the board, he had not in any way signified his willingness to cooperate with that body. It was pointed out that the sessions of the board had been practically continuous since the strike commenced and despite the fact that the mayor knew this he had never attended a meeting and had not by mail or otherwise attempted to aid the board by his counsel.

Members of the board say that the mayor's proclamation, issued Wednesday, was valueless in so far as forming a basis for official action was concerned. It was regarded simply as a warning to the public to avoid joining crowds, but contained no suggestion which would guide the police in enforcing the law.

When the members of the conference

tered the police board rooms they were joined by Attorney-General Crow, who took part in the conference held there.

About 12 o'clock Lieutenant-Colonel Holtcamp of the First Regiment of the Missouri National Guard arrived. He held a short conference with President Hawes outside the board room, but did not enter the room.

The police board meeting adjourned at 12:15 o'clock for lunch, and it was announced that the meeting would reconvene at 2 o'clock.

At 11:30 o'clock the conference in the chief's office was adjourned to the boardroom. The members of the Police Board who were present were President Hawes and Police Commissioner A. C. Stuever. Police Commissioner Atmore is ill and Police Commissioner Forster did not appear at the Four Courts. The mayor also was absent. The gentlemen at the conference in the boardroom, in addition to Mr. Hawes and Mr. Stuever, were President Whitaker and General Manager George W. Baumhoff of the transit company, Judge H. S. Priest, their attorney, Chief Campbell and Gov. Stephens.

Sheriff Pohlman remained in the secretary's office.

As Mr. Whitaker passed from the chief's office to the boardroom he said to the Post-Dispatch that nothing had been decided, and that he could make no statement until the conference was over.

The arms which have been collected in anticipation of the necessity of forming a posse are at the Chestnut Street Police Station.

Fred Ziegenhein, the mayor's son and secretary, when asked by the Post-Dispatch Thursday about the complaint of the members of the Police Board of lack of co-operation on the part of the mayor in regard to suppressing the disorder incident to the strike, said:

"Of course the mayor has not attended any of the meetings of the Police Board. Why should he? He has never been sworn in as a member of the board. When the board was organized and all the new policemen appointed, it did not ask his co-operation or invite any suggestions from him as to who should be appointed. Mr. Hawes is running the police department, and it's up to him, not the mayor, to see that the police do their duty now. What use would it be for the mayor to issue any orders to the police? The mayor is ready to do anything in his power to preserve order in the city. He will do anything that the citizens want him to do. If he was running the police department he would see that they did what the law expected them to do."

The conference adjourned shortly after 12 o'clock to meet again this afternoon.

When the members of the conference came out of the board room, President Whitaker of the transit company announced that there was absolutely no statement to make, as no definite action had been taken; that matters were in practically the same condition as when the conference begun.

UNION PREDICTS A SURPRISE

Guarded Preparations Being Made at Strikers Headquarters for a New Move.

Thursday, the third day of the strike, has changed the atmosphere at the strikers' headquarters in Walhalla Hall, Tenth street and Franklin avenue.

The calm of the first two days has disappeared and in its place there has come an air of business and preparation. The general officers of the various labor organizations, as well as the rank and file have made it their rendezvous.

Frequent conferences are held with President Mahon of the National Street Railway Employes' Union.

Chairman Lee of the national executive board was absent from the hall the entire morning. It was admitted that he was still in the city, but that he was engaged in important business with some of the other organizations, the nature of which would become apparent before the day was over.

Lively times were predicted for the city, to begin some time Thursday afternoon.

The prediction was based on a meeting held by the Building Trades Council Wednesday night. Members of the outside labor bodies in sympathy with the street car men said that a large surprise was in store for the street car corporations.

They say that they were in duty bound to not reveal the plan of campaign. Leaders of the street car movement are talking about the approach of a crisis in the situation. They say that it cannot remain as it is in the present condition longer than Thursday.

The attitude of street car leaders has been through Tuesday and Wednesday one of waiting for some action from the transit company. This attitude has plainly changed. They say they are getting ready for a move on the strike chessboard.

One feature of this restlessness is the arrival at the headquarters of printed matter, which is jealously guarded in the private room occupied by the grievance committee. Its distribution is under the control of this committee, members of which say that at the proper time it will be used.

One of the plans of attempting to cripple the income of the company is an endless chain system. Members of the various labor organizations of the city are expected to each get a friend to walk downtown with him from the residence section. This friend will be asked to exert the same influence upon another friend until many friends are walking in clubs to and from their work. This plan is to be commenced Thursday night.

There are other indications to the spectator of the strike as seen in the general headquarters that the tendency towards co-operation of the labor organizations is increasing with a definite object in view.

The object has already been hinted, but no officer of the Street Railway Union has been found who is willing to be an authority for the publication of the trump card which confidentially they say is up the sleeves of the strikers.

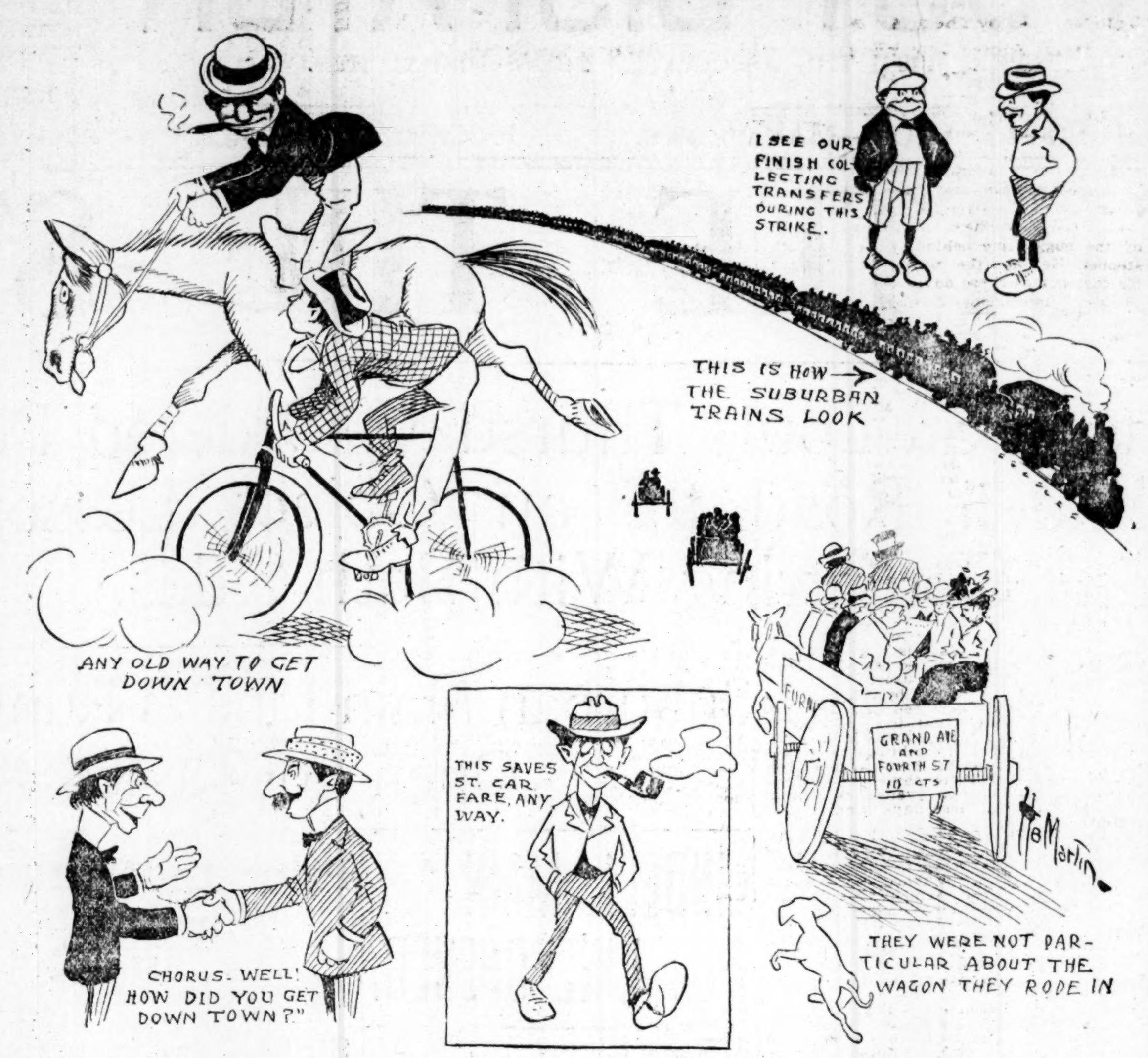
President Mahon told the Post-Dispatch that he thought the strike had gone beyond the point of arbitration, judging from the company's attitude in refusing to acknowledge that there was anything to arbitrate.

It is no secret at the strikers' headquarters, where the men talk more freely than elsewhere, that they look for intervention by higher authority than the city to be invited by the companies before the crucial point in the trouble has been reached.

In the event that such a crisis comes, the trump card of the strikers is to be played, they say. On the result of this play the strikers rely for success. Failing in this, they are ready to admit that unionism has received a blow which must be disastrous.

Secretary Missik of the transit company employes' union requested the Post-Dispatch to make the statement that the strikers disclaimed any responsibility for the acts of violence which had been committed along the lines of the various railway tracks. He said that the strikers were under strict orders to remain within the limits of their respective districts and endeavor to persuade nonunion men to refuse to take out cars.

HUMORS OF THE STRIKE SITUATION.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THIS SAVES ST. CAR FARE, ANY WAY.
GRAND AVE AND FOURTH ST 10 CTS
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H. B. Martin
CHORUS. WELL! HOW DID YOU GET DOWN TOWN?"
THEY WERE NOT PARTICULAR ABOUT THE WAGON THEY RODE IN

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SUBURBAN RUNNING.

President Charles H. Turner's statement to the Post-Dispatch Thursday: Suburban cars are running on the regular schedule and I think we will be able to keep them running. As to whether we will run cars to-night we are not prepared to say. That depends on developments.

We expect to start the cars on the Meramec division at 6 o'clock Friday morning. I think we shall be able to have the entire system in operation by Friday and keep it so.

I am well satisfied with the protection afforded by the police. They have done their work well. Of course the police will continue to guard the cars until things quiet down and naturally someone is liable to be hurt if there is any interference.

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When the first car left the sheds of the Suburban at 6 o'clock Thursday morning there was no demonstration. Besides the police and the officials of the company there were not more than half a dozen spectators. Every precaution had been taken to prevent a crowd from gathering.

No necessity for radical action on the part of the police presented itself. The few spectators were kept on the move. They were orderly and undemonstrative. No missiles were thrown and no harsh words were spoken.

Shortly before the time set for the line to begin operations Capt. Edward Philips and Lieut. Mansfield arrived at the shed accompanied by 100 patrolmen to be used as guards for the cars which the company intended to operate.

Four policemen were assigned to each car. In each case two of them were stationed on each platform.

Sergt. O'Hanlon and 10 mounted men were stationed near the entrance to the sheds and Sergt. Cartray was on hand with a force of mounted men, who had been on duty all night. There was also a large squad of policemen on foot.

The presence of 10 strangers, who apparently had the freedom of the premises caused much comment. These men had been about the sheds all night. They arrived there on the first car operated Wednesday afternoon. They were travel-stained and carried satchels. It was at first rumored that they were Pinkerton men, but later it was stated unofficially that they were representatives of a local private detective service.

From Hodiamont to Taylor avenue the Suburban tracks were practically deserted during the early morning and no resistance was offered to the operation of the cars between these points on the first trip. The men who operated the cars slept on cots in the offices and sheds Wednesday night.

Up to 2 o'clock the traffic on the main line had not been seriously interfered with.

CASUALTIES IN THE STRIKE

Correct List Up to the Hour of Going to Press With This Edition of the Post-Dispatch.

Following is the list of those injured in the strike so far:

Wednesday:

FRANK LIEBRECHT, 21, 4872 Easton avenue; shot and killed, Taylor and Suburban tracks.

LEWIS S. SKINNER, gripman Olive street, 3412B Olive street; assaulted, nose broken, face bruised.

FRANK FISHER, motorman, 3417 Caroline street; severely beaten.

WILLIAM I. LONG, patrolman; hit with brick, Tenth and Locust streets.

Tuesday:

JOSEPH KOHRING, 16, shot in leg and seriously hurt.

FRED ECKELMAN, Suburban employe; shot in groin.

FRANK PEARSON, policeman; broke a leg chasing a man.

HARRY HOUSE, negro; shot in riot.

SAM FORD, policeman; hit with brick.

HURD GILBERT, bartender; shot in left lung.

JOSEPH DAVIS, boy; skull fractured.

FOR OBSTRUCTING THE TRACKS.

Slow Going Expressman Arrested for Blocking Suburban Cars on Locust.

About noon an old colored man named Sam Harris drove a decrepit express wagon on the tracks of the Suburban at Eighth and Locust streets and refused to pull out of the way to allow the cars to pass by. Instead he drove his wagon very slowly along the tracks to Sixth street. At that point he was arrested for obstructing the streets and taken to the Chestnut street police station.

THE STRIKERS' SIDE.

Presented by President Mahon at the West End Coliseum.

W. D. Mahon, national president of the Street Railway Employes' Union of America, addressed a meeting at the West End Coliseum Wednesday night, presenting the strikers' side of the street railway controversy to about 1000 persons.

David Kreyling, president of the Central Trades and Labor Union, presided. On the platform with Mr. Mahon was Mack Missik, secretary of the Transit employes' union.

President Mahon declared that the transit company had not lived up to a single clause of the agreement of March 10, which agreement he took up and discussed in detail. He claimed that the men had a right to organize for the purpose of protecting their labor.

Then he turned to a published interview with President Whitaker of the transit company, in which it was declared that the employes were attempting to dictate to the company, which men it should employ. Mr. Mahon denied the assertion and explained that the union only asked that its own members be not discharged unjustly and that those who worked for the company should, without exception, be members of the union. He made a point of the claim that in union shops no man could go to work unless he carried a union card.

After this speech the following resolution was passed unanimously:

Whereas, The St. Louis Transit Co. has falsely stated the differences which exist between it and its employes, and has shown, by its action in refusing to arbitrate these differences, that it is opposed to justice and fairness; and

Whereas, It is seeking to conceal the real question at issue, viz., the life or death of the association, and endeavoring to substitute counterfeit and foreign matters; therefore be it

Resolved, by the peace-loving, law-abiding citizens of St. Louis, in mass meeting assembled, That we condemn the St. Louis Transit Co. as being unworthy of our moral and financial support, and that we manifest our disapproval of its action in the present serious strike by extending to the striking employes our sympathy and aid, and encourage them to insist upon having justice rendered them by the said transit company.

ARRESTED BY UNION MEN.

John Dee, a Nonunionist, Was Carrying a Revolver When Taken.

Matthew Hayford and Eugene Morris, union employes of the Olive street line, arrested John Dee, a non-union employe, Wednesday afternoon and turned him over to a policeman on a charge of carrying concealed weapons.

Hayford lives at 224 North Compton avenue. Morris lives at 3420 Laclede avenue. Morris and Hayford saw Dee Wednesday and, suspecting that he had a revolver, brushed up against him and their suspicions were confirmed. Dee made no resistance. His captors applied for a warrant Thursday morning and obtained it.

UNION OFFICERS ELECTED.

Suburban Organization Retains Many of Its Old Leaders.

The Suburban Railway Employes' Union has elected the following new officers:

President S. C. Jolly; vice-president R. J. Lister; recording secretary Wm. Belleville; financial secretary, Harry F. Miller; treasurer, Geo. H. Woodworth; grievance committee—chairman, Geo. H. Woodworth; J. B. Brennen, Fred Echleman, Dan Capstick and John H. McKinsey; conductor, Ned B. Rudy; warden, John Williams; sentinel, L. J. Ruell.

THROWN FROM A WHEEL

Walter L. Philmar Met With a Painful Accident While on a Bicycle.

Walter L. Philmar, local agent for the Dodge & Olcott Drug Co. of New York, was painfully injured in a bicycle accident at Grand and Washington avenues Wednesday morning.

He was turning the corner when he was run down by a carriage and thrown from his wheel.

His ankle and left leg were severely bruised.

RED MEN'S OFFICERS.

Result of the Election Which Closed the Convention.

The state convention of the Independent Order of Red Men, which has been in session at East St. Louis since Monday, closed Wednesday afternoon with the election of officers. The meeting was a success in every way, and the visitors were much pleased with their reception in East St. Louis.

The following officers were elected: Great sachem, Charles F. Wertz, Bloomington; great senior sagamore, J. C. Gerhardt, Peoria; great junior sagamore, F. C. Smith, East St. Louis; great phophet, William Shepherd, Lincoln; great chief of records, Wilson Brooks, Chicago; great keeper of wampum, Will G. Baker, Moline; great representative to the great United States Council, P. J. Hansworth, Chicago; great trustees, Charles Cashford, Tuscola; F. D. Croks, Shelbyville; Charles Weineman, Auburn; great sanrap, J. R. Watson, Chicago; great mishinewa, F. W. Wedge, Kewanee; great guard of wigwam, R. E. Lawrence, Peoria; great guard of forest, J. C. Gebauer, Troy.

At the close of the meeting resolutions were adopted thanking Mayor M. M. Stephens for his kindness and the many favors shown the Red Men, and also to the residents of East St. Louis for the hospitality shown them during the convention.

Pocahontas Lodge, the women's auxiliary, meet Thursday at Music Hall, and the delegates will then leave for their homes.

NOT BITTER AGAINST BRITAIN

To a London Paper Mr. Joseph Pulitzer Explains the Boer Sentiment in America.

LONDON, May 9.—The Daily Mail this morning publishes the following article:

"Mr. Joseph Pulitzer, the proprietor of the New York World, is now in London. He controls one of the mightiest newspaper properties in the world. He has revolutionized American journalism for this generation as the elder Bennett and Horace Greeley did for a past generation. In the battle he has ruined his eyesight and damaged his health, but his energy is still undiminished.

"When the United States went mad against England over the Venezuelan boundary dispute Mr. Pulitzer headed a campaign for peace and friendship. Recently he has taken a prominent part in the pro-Boer crusade in the United States. Talking on the matter to a Daily Mail representative he said:

"'There is no bitterness of feeling in the United States against England. I myself strongly sympathize with the Boers in their struggle. I think England is wrong, but I am conscious only of regret and sympathy. I am unaltered in my admiration of English law, liberty and many other things that I have thought admirable all my life.

"'Mr. Bryan, I think, will gain an advantage and considerable popularity by expressing truly the American feeling of sympathy with the Boers and by appealing to it, but this sympathy does not go beyond the linees of common sense, and if Mr. Bryan himself were President or Secretary of State he would not go beyond mediation.'"

SPIRIT OF DANIEL WEBSTER

Shade of the Statesman, Lilydale Folk Say, Has Picked McKinley to Defeat Bryan.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LILYDALE, N. Y., May 10.—Lilydale, the head center of the spiritualistic faith, is excited over the next presidential election. At one of the recent spiritualistic gatherings the spirit of Daniel Webster arrived and declared that William McKinley and William Jennings Bryan are to be nominated for the presidency, and that in the electoral college Mr. McKinley will have 273 votes and Mr. Bryan 174.

When asked about Admiral Dewey's chances Mr. Webster's spirit declined to be interviewed.

CONVENTION PLAN UNCHANGED

Democrats Will Hold Their Gathering in Kansas City June 5, as at First Planned.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 10.—The Democratic State Convention will be held in Kansas City on June 5, according to the original plan. This was decided by unanimous vote of the Democratic state central committee, in session here yesterday. Three places are under consideration as the meeting place—the new Heim Theater in the east bottoms, the Auditorium Theater on East Ninth street, and the Summer Theater at Fairmont Park, six miles by electric line from the downtown district. The committee visited all three halls, and the Heim Theater, which the owners will give bond to have completed in time, seems at present to meet majority favor. The Heim Theater is 10 minutes' ride from the center of town.

BORDEN AND PORTER CHOSEN.

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 10.—The Republican Congressional Convention of the Fourth District yesterday nominated C. J. Borden of Buchanan County and Daniel W. Porter of Holt County as district delegates to the National Convention, and W. C. Pierce of Nodaway County as presidential elector.

Homes Under the Hammer.

C. G. Crone's Auction Sale, to be held next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, should not be overlooked, as a number of small homes will be sold to the highest bidder. The property to be sold is described in the advertisement elsewhere. This is a chance to secure a home at your own price. Plats can be had on application to him.

PRAISE FOR BRYAN

FEATURE OF THE POPULIST NATIONAL CONVENTION.

THE CHAIRMAN'S ADDRESS.

Defends the Action of the Party Four Years Ago in Its Alliance With Democracy.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., May 10.—Temporary Chairman Ringdal rapped the Populist convention to order at 9:45 to-day.

The committee on credentials presented its report declaring that there were no contesting delegations and recommending that the vote of Missouri be increased by two votes, that of Ohio by two votes and that of South Dakota by three votes.

The report, which was read by Gov. Poynter of Nebraska, was adopted without a dissenting vote.

The minority report threatened last night by Committeeman Madden of Colorado did not materialize.

The committee on permanent organization reported the name of Thomas M. Patterson of Colorado for permanent chairman, T. H. Curran of Kansas, Leo Vincent of Colorado and E. M. Deisher of Pennsylvania as permanent secretaries.

In accepting the position of permanent chairman Mr. Patterson commenced by stating that he would so far as was in his power rule the convention with justice to all. He then briefly sketched the history of the Populist party and the causes which led up to its organization.

"The school of Hamilton, the school of doubt of the ability of the people to govern themselves," continued Mr. Patterson, "has completely dominated the councils of both the Democratic and Republican parties. The People's party was constituted to restore the landmarks of our fathers, to take up the struggle where the Democratic party had left off, to prove that these people are capable of self-government and laws should be made for the people, by the people, and protect the rights which the mere existence of the individual has conferred on him."

The speaker gave a short history of the financial legislation of Congress during the last administration of President Cleveland and that of President McKinley. "During this controversy," he said, "the seed of the People's party, which had been sown in 1892, began to bear fruit. That party believed then and believes to-day in the right of the people to control the issue of their own currency without dictation of Wall street."

He then gave a history of the early successes of the People's party, and went on:

"To check the progress of the People's party throughout the South, the Democrats of that section incorporated into their own creed the Populists' tenets and embodied in their platform of 1896 all the cardinal principles of the Populist platform of nearly four years ago.

"The Democratic party in 1896 nominated Mr. Bryan, and later the People's party nominated Mr. Bryan. It has been said that we showed wonderful magnanimity in choosing the avowed candidate of another party. I say no. The People's party would have been false to all of its avowed principles had it nominated any other man than Mr. Bryan. We never surrendered our rights as a party. We never could have nominated any other man."

Mr. Patterson then entered upon an extensive eulogy of Mr. Bryan as a man, a statesman and a soldier during the Spanish-American war.

BARKER FOR PRESIDENT.

Nominated by the Middle-of-the-Road Populists.

CINCINNATI, O., May 10.—Wharton Barker of Pennsylvania was nominated for President on the second ballot by the Middle-of-the-Road Populist convention.

Ignatius Donnelly was nominated for Vice-President.

CINCINNATI, May 10.—At the Middle-of-the-Road Populist convention to-day the following platform was adopted:

1. We demand the initiative and referendum and the imperative mandate for such changes of existing fundamental and statute law as will enable the people in their sovereign capacity to propose and compel the enactment of such laws as they desire; to reject such as they deem injurious to their interests and to recall unfaithful public servants.

2. We demand the public ownership and operation of those means of communication, transportation and production which the people may elect, such as railroads, telegraph and telephone lines, coal mines, etc.

3. The land, including all natural sources of wealth, is a heritage of the people and should not be monopolized for speculative purposes and alien ownership of land should be prohibited. All land now held by railroads and other corporations in excess of their actual needs and all lands now owned by aliens should be reclaimed by the government and held for actual settlers only.

4. A scientific and absolute paper money, based upon the entire wealth and population of the nation, not redeemable in any specific commodity but made a full legal tender for all debts and receivable for all taxes and public duties and issued by the government only, without the intervention of banks and in sufficient quantity to meet the demands of commerce, is the best currency that can be devised; but until such a financial system is secured, which we shall press for adoption, we favor the free and unlimited coinage of both silver and gold at the legal ratio of 16 to 1.

5. We demand the levy and collection of a graduated tax on incomes and inheritances and a constitutional amendment to secure the same if necessary.

6. We demand the election of president, vice-president, federal judges and United States senators by direct vote of the people.

7. We are opposed to trusts and declare the contention between the old parties on the monopoly question is a sham battle, and that no solution of this mighty problem is possible without the adoption of principles of public ownership of public utilities.

Four candidates were placed in nomination for president. The first ballot resulted:

Howard	311 6-10
Barker	303 4-10
Donnelly	70
Norton	1

Necessary to a choice, 488.

STATE COMMITTEE IN SESSION.

To Settle Democratic Differences in the Thirteenth District.

The state Democratic committee is in session at the Laclede Hotel Wednesday taking up the dispute in the Thirteenth Missouri Congressional District. About 100 men are also present to go before the committee as witnesses. The duration of the session is uncertain.

The committee has before it a question of the legality of action of the congressional committee in the Thirteenth District—Vandiver's. He is a candidate for re-election and primaries were set for September. There are about half a dozen other candidates, and they have started objections to the primaries and have declared for a convention. The legality of moves on each side is at issue.

TWO CHATTEL DEEDS FILED.

One Is Arthur Young's, the Other the Palmers'.

Arthur Young filed a chattel deed of trust Thursday on his restaurant, outfit and lease at 906 Olive street. W. R. Schery is named as trustee. The liabilities are $2125.59.

A chattel deed of trust was filed on the shoe store of 1211 North Thirteenth street by Julia M. and Graham Palmer, James M. Sutherland being known as trustee. The liabilities are $696.29.

SHEETZ WILL RETURN.

Man Accused of Larceny to Travel in State.

Elmer M. Sheetz, now in custody at San Francisco, who is wanted in St. Louis to answer a charge of grand larceny, has consented to return with Chief of Detectives Desmond. He will be accompanied by his wife. The couple will travel in a drawing room.

AFTER MONEY MAKERS

UNITED STATES COURT SENTENCED ONE AND IS TRYING TWO.

DRS. B. F. REESE AND L. S. GOODNER.

They Are on Trial Now for Counterfeiting, With a Clock Making Experiment as Defense.

Frank Parquette, a self-confessed counterfeiter, who admits having operated in several states and manufacturing thousands of spurious coins, was arraigned for a trial in the United States District Court Thursday morning.

"Your honor," he said in addressing Judge Adams, "I have served two terms in the penitentiary on the charge of making counterfeit money. In both instances I was innocent. But of the present charge I will say the authorities got me dead to rights and I am willing to plead guilty."

Judge Adams looked at the prisoner a moment and said: "I will fine you $1 and costs and sentence you to ten years in the penitentiary, which is the full limit of the law."

"Are you sure that is the full limit?" the prisoner asked quizzically.

"I think so," replied the court.

Parquette is 50 years old, his hair is iron gray, and he walks with a stoop. His reputation as a counterfeiter is not confined to the West. He is said to have led a professional gang in the East. He has been known under various names.

The United States authorities were searching for him months before he was captured. His photograph adorns the rogues' gallery of every large city in the country.

Following Parquette, George Gray was arraigned. He said he was not guilty of "shoving the queer," as passing counterfeit money is popularly termed, but he thought because he was a stranger in St. Louis he could not get a fair trial here. He said he had no lawyer. Judge Adams said he would be supplied with legal services gratis.

"You will get a fair deal whether you are a stranger or not," said Judge Adams. "We have no favorites in this court."

Gray's trial was set for Tuesday.

The trial of Drs. D. F. Reese and L. S. Goodner, who had offices at 714 Pine street, began Thursday in the United States District Court.

It is alleged by the government that they manufactured nickels similar to the coins of the United States.

District Attorney Edward A. Rozier is conducting the prosecution.

The defense of Goodner is that the molds which were found in his office were used to melt certain metals which he needed to master the invention of a perpetual clock. His theory was that he could control the operations of the clock by insulating one side of a magnet. Several witnesses testified on his behalf.

Among those called were Dr. D. Campbell of 714 Pine street, Nat Sparhoff of 2642 Natural Bridge road and Perry Henderson.

Some of them stated that Dr. Goodner had been to their knowledge working on the perpetual clock experiment for years. They agree that so far as they were aware his reputation was without a blemish.

The trial adjourned for luncheon.

SWITCHMEN ORGANIZE.

East St. Louis Representative Organizes a Lodge at Cairo.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CAIRO, Ill., May 10.—Gus Devlin, representing Victory Lodge, No. 16, of East St. Louis, organized here last night a lodge of 55 members of the Switchmen's Union of North America.

This union, which was reorganized two years ago, has 10,000 members. A national convention will be held at Detroit, May 21. J. W. Watts has been appointed a delegate from Victory Lodge of East St. Louis; Harry Kerr, alternate. Six or eight other members will attend.

DR. HENRY C. DIXON'S LECTURE.

He Will Talk Thursday Night in Rose Hill Hall.

Dr. Henry Cabell Dixon will lecture Thursday night at Rose Hill Hall for the benefit of the cadets of the Church of the Ascension. His subject is "The Bright Side of a Dark Subject." He is an eloquent speaker and the lecture is said to be a bright discussion of an interesting subject.

Picnic at Cahokia.—The Muller Hauling Co.'s Aid Society will have a picnic Sunday next at Schweigler's Grove, Cahokia, Ill., for the benefit of its sick members. The Sidney street ferry will run Sunday night until 11 o'clock.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Alexander MacCash	427 Withers av
Mamie Werkel	427 Withers av
Harry G. Doyle	2309 Dayton st
Ora O Boswell	108 N. Compton
Joseph Eckmeir	3951 Lee av
Adell Rattigens	3943 [illegible] av
F. F. Koelle	[illegible]
Caroline E. Tibbe	[illegible]
Charles E. Hurst	[illegible] Pennsylvania
Amelia Cramer	[illegible]
E. J. Shroeder	[illegible] av
Annie Thon[illegible]	[illegible] st
Charles F. [illegible]	[illegible]dway
Katie Y[illegible]	[illegible] Shenandoah av
Edward [illegible]erman	[illegible] Monroe st
Elisa M. [illegible]	[illegible] Franklin av
W[illegible]	3014 Park av
Ella E. [illegible]nerstein	[illegible] S. Compton av
D. [illegible] Robert	3224 Washington av
Eliza Clendenin	[illegible]043 Washington av
F. J. [illegible]urst	1837 S. 7th st
Emma Dor[illegible]	911 Ann av
Leo J. Pelt	1126 N. 21st st
Mrs. Ma[illegible]	3678 Finney av
M. J. Ke[illegible]	[illegible] Ill
Mary [illegible]	[illegible] Sheridan av
J. R. [illegible]	East St. Louis
Jessie [illegible]	East St. Louis
L[illegible] Burkhardt	3318 Laclede av
Alvina [illegible]pellman	4232 Pleasant st
J. C. Lan[illegible]an	3225 Cass av
Mary R. Winslow	Huntington, W. Va
Theo. W. Huf[illegible]	Belleville, Ill
Mrs. Minnie [illegible]	Belleville, Ill
Charley Ho[illegible]	2632 Carr st
Birdie de[illegible]	2632 Carr st
Maurice [illegible]	2310 Wash st
Mary Ha[illegible]	[illegible] av
J. E. Hart	[illegible] st
Nora E. Carey	216 S. 2d st
Adam Bohley	[illegible]31 Texas av
Louise Daffner	[illegible]0 Texas av
J. E. Kamprod	[illegible] Morgan st
Clara Tieman	[illegible] John st
R. J. Mon[illegible]	616 Garrison av
Winifred E[illegible]	1417 Chambers st
H. H. Bos[illegible]	[illegible] Ill
Rosa W[illegible]	[illegible] Mo
F[illegible]	[illegible] av
Ma[illegible]sey	[illegible] Cass av
Henry [illegible]um	[illegible] Broadway
Mrs. [illegible] Schoen	[illegible]ennings, Mo
William [illegible]Wiericke	3330 Blair
Lizzie Sc[illegible]	1421 Salisbury
A. A. Stib[illegible]	1725 S. 11th
Mary Kopac	1876 S. Mound
Warren Talbert	1406 N. Park pl
Bessie Prosser	1008 Chambers
Wienold Fening	3131 New Ashland pl
Mary A. Lynch	2324 Howard
Charles Kat[illegible]	Chaflin Bridge
Mrs. Mary Ha[illegible]meier	New Design, Ill
J. J. O'Co[illegible]rs	817 Benton
Emma [illegible]	Benton, Mo
William H. [illegible]stpeter	2303 N. 14th
Josephine [illegible]	1451 North Market
Wm. [illegible]yant	3528 Olive
Mrs. [illegible] Allen	3727 S. Jefferson
Charlie A. Artman	2856 S. 13th
Mamie Ott	3443 University av
William F. Cole	De Soto, Mo
Susan Beley	De Soto, Mo
George H. Ellis	1504 Singleton
Marie C. Morgan	1504 Singleton
Edward E. Wood	2712 Marcus av
Coddie H. Simms	2509 N. Garrison

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DEATHS.

BOEHMER—On Wednesday, May 9, at 3:30 p. m., Mrs. Mary Boehmer (nee Franz), aged 71 years and 3 months.

Funeral private, Friday, May 11, at 9:30 a. m., from St. Kevin's Church to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

CARRINGTON—At 6 o'clock a. m., Thursday, May 10, 1900, Martha B. Carrington, relict of the late Dr. E. C. Carrington.

Funeral services Saturday, May 12, at 2 p. m., at late residence, 22 Nicholson place. Friends invited.

HOLMES—On Wednesday, May 9, at 7:40 a. m., Charles U. Holmes, aged 54 years, lay missioner at the city institutions.

Funeral will take place on Friday, May 11, at 2 o'clock p. m., from Christ Church Cathedral, Thirteenth and Locust streets. Interment private.

KING—At 2 a. m., on May 10, William B. King, aged 58 years.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

PAPIN—On Wednesday, May 9, at 6 a. m., Stephen Papin, beloved husband of Eliza J. Papin, aged 69 years.

Funeral Friday, May 11, at 2 p. m., from residence, 3618 Evans avenue.

SEEDS—On May 10, 1900, at 3:50 a. m., Capt. Charles D. Seeds, after a long and painful illness, dear beloved father of Franklin, Elmore, Charles A., Endora E. and Carrie C. Seeds.

Funeral Sunday, May 13, at 2:30 p. m., from residence, 821 Brooklyn. Friends invited to attend.

Cincinnati (O.), Louisville and Newport (Ky.), Denver (Colo.) papers please copy.

WALSH—On Wednesday, May 9, 1900, at 1:15 o'clock p. m., Edward J. Walsh, beloved son of John Walsh, brother of Richard J. and Mollie Walsh, and Sister M. Eugenia, C. B. V. M.

The funeral will take place Saturday, 12th inst., at 8:30 o'clock a. m., from family residence, 1112 Monroe street, to St. Michael's Church, thence to Calvary. Friends are invited to attend.

Chicago (Ill.), Mexico (Mo.), Dubuque (Io.) and Dallas (Tex.) papers please copy.

UNION STATION FOR ALTON.

Movement of the Roads There to Build One.

It is likely that Alton's long fight for a union station of some pretensions will result in victory. The officials of the Chicago and Alton road and Receiver J. F. Barnard of the Bridge Co., were in Alton Thursday, and they talk encouragingly of the proposition to have all the Alton roads use one depot.

The present Union Station, which is used by the C. & A. and Big Four trains, is the property of the Chicago & Alton Co., and it is likely that the new station will be built upon the site of this structure.

The Burlington, which does a big passenger business at Alton, has no depot, and the Bluff Line has none to speak of. The Illinois Terminal Co. has none at all. These several companies will hold a conference soon and determine upon a structure to their mutual satisfaction.

Entertainment Off.—The minstrel and vaudeville entertainment which was to have been given for the benefit of the Women's Benevolent Aid Society at Northwestern Hall Friday evening, May 11, has been postponed until Friday, May 18, on account of the street car strike.

BOERS IN RETREAT FROM ZAND RIVER.

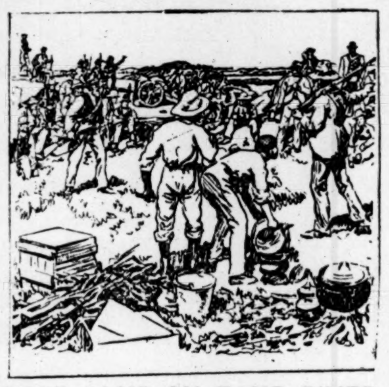
Gave Battle to the British, but Were Forced to Yield and Fall Back to Kroonstad.

Their Line in the River Hills Covered a Frontage of 20 Miles.

ROBERTS TO THE WAR OFFICE.

HE HOPES THE CASUALTIES HAVE NOT BEEN HEAVY AND REPORTS A VICTORY.

At Kroonstad, the Key of the Boer Position, the Army of the Republics Will Make Their Final Fight South of the Vaal.



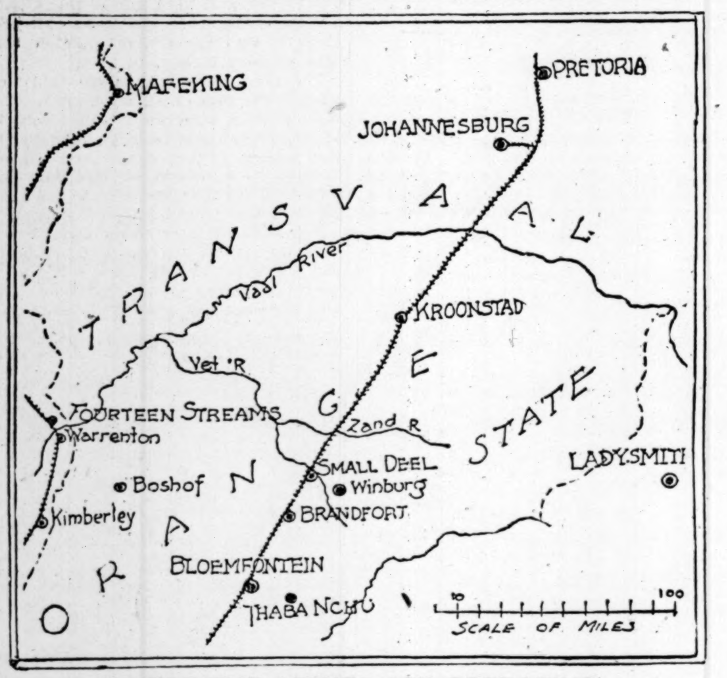
BOER CAMP ON ZAND RIVER.

WOMEN AS SOLDIERS.

PRETORIA, Wednesday, May 10.—President Kruger has received a telegram from a burgheress asking if the time has not arrived for the formation of a corps of women, adding that she is prepared with a body of women volunteers to take up arms in defense of the independence of the Transvaal.

CABLE CART HEADQUARTERS, ZAND RIVER, May 10, 12:30 p. m.—The enemy are in full retreat. They occupied a position 20 miles in length. Ours was necessarily longer. With the widely scattered force it will take some time to learn the casualties, but I am hopeful we have not suffered much. The cavalry and horse artillery are pursuing the Boers by three different roads.

ROBERTS.



WHERE THE ARMIES ARE OPERATING.

The main British army, under Gen. Roberts, is moving along the railway shown in the center of the map, and is now at Zand River. A second force is north of the Vaal, above Fourteen Streams, while a third force is moving north from Ladysmith. The Boers are supposed to be concentrating at Kroonstad.

CABLE CART HEADQUARTERS, at the front, May 10, 9:10 a. m.—We are now across the Zand River. The enemy are still holding a strong position, but we are gradually pushing them back. Pole-Carew's and Tucker's divisions, Hamilton's column of heavy naval and royal garrison artillery guns and four brigades of cavalry are at the front.

I have received a most cheery telegram from Baden-Powell, dated April 27.

ROBERTS.

LONDON, May 10.—The crossing of the Zand River by the British appears to have been effected sooner than even the most sanguine expected and this morning Lord Roberts' temporary headquarters is established in a cable cart on the north bank of the river. Though the opposition the federals are offering shows that yesterday's reports of the abandonment of their position were ill-founded, Lord Roberts' advance force, consisting of from 10,000 to 12,000 mounted men, besides infantry, artillery and the naval contingent, appears to be sufficiently powerful to overwhelm any opposition the burghers can offer. Even though as reported, they have been reinforced by 3000 men from other commands and possess a score of heavy guns, tht experts believe the opposition will not be prolonged longer than is necessary to remove the guns and other impediments in the direction of Kroonstad.

Kroonstad is the most important strategic position between Bloemfontein and Pretoria. It commands the direct railway to Pretoria and also a loop line through Potchefstroom to Johannesburg. It is the key to the Transvaal and is the natural storehouse of supplies for an army crossing the Vaal River by either line of railway. The possession of this stronghold is of greater importance than the direct co-operation of Buller with Roberts' army. It will enable Gens. Methuen and Hunter to co-operate with Gen. Roberts from the west and will give direction to turning movements in the level reaches of the Transvaal toward Johannesburg and Pretoria. The Boers may be expected to make a stubborn resistance there. The town is on the Valsch River, which is a sluggish stream, usually fordable at many points, near Kroonstad.

Gen. Hutton's mounted infantry brigade, including the Canadians, with a part of Gen. French's cavalry, crossed the Zand River on Tuesday and began to work its way cautiously along the railway northward in the track of the retiring Boers. About 8000 horsemen were probably engaged in this advance. Gen. Hutton, before he was joined by a part of Gen. French's force, had a sharp fight. This was on Monday when he reached the river and saw the Boer convoys on the other side and pressed forward, intending to cross and capture them.

The Boers, however, opened fire with from eight to ten guns, forded the river above and below, seemingly in thousands, and sought to envelop the British. Gen. Hutton fell back several miles, the Boers following, until other British cavalry reenforced Hutton. During the night the Boers retreated, not further contesting the crossing.

The Transvaal Volksraad adopted resolutions on Tuesday expressing indignation at the British for not conducting the war in a civilized manner, for killing wounded Boers with lances, for using armed Kaffirs under British officers and for ill-treating prisoners.

President Kruger, after his formal speech on Monday, said the British were prepared for war in 1896, as documents which the burghers had captured showed, but that the Transvaal, to avoid bloodshed, provided a seven years' franchise and then a five years' franchise.

"Great Britain still demanded," he declared, "and the republic at length accepted the challenge. Even should the British enter the Transvaal and take Pretoria, the Boers will remain a free people. Our trust is in God, and we may be confident that he will defeat the most powerful generals."

Adelbert Hay, United States consul at Pretoria, was present when this speech was delivered.

WINE vs. COFFEE.

A Test Case.

"A wine maker's wife on whom I was calling a year or two ago, urged me to drink a large cup of very strong coffee when I had declined to take a glass of wine for the reason that the wine affected me unpleasantly. The coffee was so strong that my head reeled and rolled for two or three days, and I decided the wine would have been the more temperate drink, after all.

"I had been a moderate user of coffee but had been suffering from sick headaches for some time and was becoming very suspicious that coffee was the cause of them. After this experiment, the drug power of coffee was made so plain that I abandoned it altogether and had a long season of hot water drinking which is not enjoyable, as you will admit.

"After awhile I was introduced to Postum Food Coffee, and it proved a joy and promise of pleasure to come. It tasted so much like coffee that I waited for some of the evil effects to develop. They did not come, so I drank it three times a day and still continue. The habit spread from me to the rest of the family. Even father, a confirmed coffee drinker, 84 years old, now drinks Postum with great relish, and his health has been better the past winter than for several years.

"On Christmas we had a reunion of several old-time friends and served Postum instead of coffee. One of the ladies, who holds an important educational position and must care for her nerves, said, 'Give me the smallest cup,—I dare not drink coffee.' She was told that it was not coffee, but was Postum. After drinking a little of she said, 'I never liked Postum before. The way we made it, it was so colorless and flat, but this is delicious,' and she passed up for the second cup.

"I explained that she could always have Postum delicious if she would follow the directions as to the amount to use and time to boil." Mrs. M. P. Haines, Prospect Park, Cal.

Married in Alton.—Thurman C. Bledsoe and Miss Stella F. Farrell, both of St. Louis, were granted a marriage license at Alton, Ill., Wednesday evening, and were married there before returning to this city. The city directory gives the groom as a bookkeeper residing at 5207 Ridge avenue, but does not contain the bride's name.

WEUNS WHO WALK.

DURING THE STRIKE.
He rode upon a butcher's cart,
The saddest of the flock—he
Was nearly jolted all apart,
The riding was so rocky.

He sadly thought of San Juan Hill,
As he kept slipping, sliding.
"B'gosh," he shouted with a will,
"This surely is rough riding!"
I. M. UPAGAINSTIT

A pretty girl waved her hand from the rear of a seat in a grocer's wagon.

I pretended not to notice her. I was riding with a butcher.

Yet again she waved.

She seemed to be enjoying herself immensely. The seat I occupied was very hard. Besides, it was cold.

Again came the beaming smile and the wave of a fairy hand.

"Who is that up in front?" I said to the red-haired man with the pincnez, who was occupying the front seat with me and the driver.

"Haw! haw! haw!" he roared, taking a closer look. "That's my stenographer!"

Then he waved a red hand in her direction and again she smiled as they exchanged greetings. And the grocer's wagon sped on, leaving the butcher's wagon and its fourteen occupants in the rear.

And the girl smiled in the face of the man sitting in front of her. They had about twelve inches of space between them. They had never met before. He is a local singer whose name every St. Louisan knows. You may have heard him sing "I Dreamed I Dwelt in Marble Halls" at Uhrig's Cave.

The driver of the butcher's cart called out "Fares!" and somebody yelled "Transfer!" and the red-haired man with the pincnez called out to the man behind him: "There goes Mrs. Smith! She beat us down town!"

Locust street was alive. Furniture vans, barouches, carry-alls, stake wagons, tally-hos (here is a chance for somebody to write some verses on The Man With the Tally-ho), milk wagons, ice wagons, sprinkling carts, runabouts, goabouts, flyabouts and crawlabouts, mule wagons, horse wagons, storm buggies, delivery wagons, hucksters' carts, bicyclists, electric bicycles, automobiles, phaetons, traps, drags, omnibuses, private carriages, landaus—every conceivable vehicle, in fact, known to mortal man, excepting balloons and baby buggies, was speeding down Locust street as fast as it could go, every one loaded to the guards with laughing humanity, anxious to get down town, but not at all unmindful of the inconveniences to which they were subjected.

And that, gentle reader, is what it means to have a street car strike in St. Louis; and these observations are what make us agree with William Dean Howells when he averred that the American people are always disposed to smile when difficulties confront them.

St. Louis furnishes the first wholesale example, as far as known, of an institution where a considerable number of women are employed at the same wages paid to men.

This institution happens to be one in which nearly every St. Louisan is interested. Therefore the facts which will be presented by the next Sunday Post-Dispatch in this conection will be valuable.

Hundreds, yes, thousands, of women in St. Louis, Missouri and the Central West will be interested in the outcome of the great Beauty Contest inaugurated several months ago by the Sunday Post-Dispatch and New York World to determine the two most beautiful women of American birth, who are to be honored by having their photographs used in modeling the official medal for the Pan-American Exposition to be held at Buffalo, N. Y., in 1901.

This contest will close June 1.

No photographs will be received after that date. The notable series which has been running for months in the Sunday Post-Dispatch will be closed, and a decision will be rendered as soon after June 1 as possible.

The beautiful women whose photographs have been published as halftones in the Sunday Post-Dispatch in this connection will be glad to learn the personnel of the committee which is to decide their fate. Here are the names:

Mrs. Henry Siegel, formerly of St. Louis.

Mrs. Minnie Maddern Fiske, actress.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis.

Mrs. Harriet Hubbard Ayer.

Irving G. Wiles of the Society of American artists.

J. G. Brown of the National Academy of Design.

Roy Crandall, chairman of the Pan-American Exposition committee on publicity.

August Langebahn, sculptor, who will design the medal from the photographs decided upon.

Conrad Diehl, mayor of Buffalo, N. Y.

Thousands, to use an ancient phrase, will be on the tiptoe of expectancy until a decision shall have been reached. The result will be announced through the Sunday Post-Dispatch as soon as possible, with photographs of the winners in this great contest.

What will become of the Boers when the war is over, in case England shall win?

This question is short and simple, but the governors of several American states will have a great deal to say in answering it. "How?" you ask. After infinite trouble and considerable expense the Sunday Post-Dispatch is in a position to reply. See the answer next Sunday.

Howard Fielding will be the second contributor to the Sunday Post-Dispatch series of 10 novelettes, each complete in itself, commenced last Sunday by Gertrude Atherton. Eight other writers equally prominent will follow.

Two special artists and two special correspondents, representing the Sunday Post-Dispatch, will tell you almost as much about the Paris Exposition as you would learn if you were there. See their contributions next Sunday, and look out for a big list of good things to be announced tomorrow.

Young Child Drank Carbolic Acid.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

FORSYTH, Mo., May 10.—Thursday morning the 2-year-old child of James D. Breeden of Forsyth drank carbolic acid and died in less than 40 minutes.

Locomotives Run With Oil.

One of the largest railroads on the Pacific Coast has decided to substitute oil in place of coal as fuel on its engines. But whether the experiment will prove a success remains to be seen. In this respect it differs from the famous Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which has made a decided success in its fifty years of cures of stomach ills such as dyspepsia, indigestion and biliousness. Do not experiment with unknown remedies when this safe and reliable medicine can be had of any druggist. Try a bottle and be convinced. It will build up your debilitated system, strengthen your weak stomach and make it capable of digesting the food taken into it, and when this is done health must naturally follow.

HOW CITY OFFICIALS GET DOWN

Methods Used by Them Are Numerous, From Rubber Tired Rigs to Very Tired Feet.

Mayor Ziegenhein does not allow the strike to interfere with his established custom of reaching his office at the City Hall at 8 o'clock each morning. He uses a buggy as his conveyance from his home at 3321 South Thirteenth street. His son and secretary, Fred Ziegenhein, also comes uptown by the buggy line behind a blooded high-stepper. He says the mayor drives one of his fast horses these days.

Sewer Commissioner Edward A. Hermann uses one of the Sewer Department's spring wagons to travel from his home, 505 North Spring avenue, to the City Hall. Piloted by its regular driver, it appears in front of the Hermann home at 8 o'clock every morning now. Before reaching there, it is boarded by Edward E. Wall, one of Mr. Hermann's engineers, who resides at 4520 St. Ferdinand avenue and after leaving there it stops at 3743 West Pine boulevard for City Auditor Mason and again at 3203 Pine street for Assistant Sewer Commissioner Wilson Wise. Together they make the trip downtown.

Street Commissioner Charles Varrelmann adopts the strikers' method. He walks. His home is at 908 Morrison avenue and the commissioner says he enjoys the morning breezes as he promenades across the old Twelfth Street Bridge. His assistant, W. D. Hemenway, indulges in the luxury of an up-to-date buggy, his home being at 4179 Morgan street. Edward S. Wills of the Street Department force, being a successful and enthusiastic cyclist, spins to the City Hall on his high-geared 1900 wheel from his home at 3135 Morgan street.

Supervisor of Electric Lighting O'Reilly covers the distance between his office and his home, 1507 Papin street, in a red-wheeled rubber-tired buggy adorned with a big gong. His chief clerk, H. B. Hutchinson, also uses a buggy to and from his home at 3744 Olive street. Louis Bick of the same office, whose home is at 1921 Marcus avenue, is content to do his traveling these days in an express wagon.

President McMath of the Board of Public Improvements and Sergt. T. McGrew of the mayor's office, walk to the City Hall from Union Station, whence the Wabash suburban trains take them home. Mr. McMath resides at 7 Windemere place, and gets plenty of exercise walking across Union boulevard after leaving the train. Sergt. McGrew lives in a pretty home at Rose Hill in West Cabanne, very near the city limits, and the Wabash takes him close to home.

City Register Besch uses a buggy to reach the City Hall from his home at 3252 California avenue when he is in a hurry, and walks the distance when he thinks he needs exercise. Deputy City Register Joseph A. Gutweiler, being of robust and athletic build, finds it quite a delightful walk to the municipal headquarters from his home at 1421 Warren street. Walter Dryden of the city counselor's office is another pedestrian. He says he doesn't miss the street cars in going to and from the City Hall. Mr. Dryden resides at 720½ Pine street.

As Building Commissioner Longfellow resides at 5836 Etzel avenue, he finds it convenient to use the Wabash. His assistant, L. C. F. Stemme, however, says the boot and shoe line suits him. Mr. Stemme lives at Grand and Folsom avenues.

Auditor Mason says he walked before Mr. Hermann began calling for him. His son, Charles P. Mason, first deputy auditor, still walks.

Assistant City Treasurer John W. Dunn utilizes one seat in an express wagon to travel between the hall and his home at 4068 Washington boulevard. He says City Treasurer Scudder usually walks down in the morning, but engages passage on one of the numerous new transit lines to reach his home, 3524 Washington avenue, in the evening.

Chief C. W. Swingley of the Fire Department and his son, Ben Swingley, the secretary of the department, have buggies of their own and travel with the same ease that they did before the strike was inaugurated.

Major Emory S. Foster, the veteran secretary of the Board of Public Improvements, rides in a furniture wagon.

"My home is at 4258 Cook avenue," this interesting old gentleman explained to the Post-Dispatch, "and every morning I cross over Whittier street to Finney avenue. Instead of street cars the last few mornings I have found furniture wagons. The one that reached my corner shortly after I arrived there this morning was rather well loaded. I asked the Italian who was running the conveyance for a seat and he told me to get on. Some of the passengers protested that he was carrying too many and threatened to go on a strike themselves if he added any more human freight. But the Italian counted noses and found six on one side and seven on the other.

"'Thirteen passengers,' he called out; 'unlucky number. Come on.'

"The crowd saw the point and invited me aboard."

LITTLE CHILD BADLY BURNED

Bertha Wallenbrook of St. Charles Played Too Near a Stove and May Die in Consequence.

Bertha Wallenbrook, aged 5 years, was badly burned Wednesday night while playing near a stove in the kitchen of her home in St. Charles, Mo.

The little one's dress ignited and she ran outdoors where her father, Hermann Wallenbrook, was at work in the garden.

Wallenbrook grasped the child in his arms and running to a barrel of water dipped the body in and thus managed to extinguish the fire.

But little Bertha was unconscious and scorched terribly from head to foot. A physician who was called stated Thursday morning that she could hardly live.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

William C. Burger	1740 S. 18th st
Elizabeth Hoehn	6106 S. 10th st
Ben B. Schlanker	Alton, Ill
Marie Lammers	Alton, Ill
John W. Johnson	1427 N. 3d st
Ida L. McGrew	1723 S. 3d st
William Hogan	2018 Mullanphy st
Mary Walsh	2403 Coleman st
James W. Paynter	7823 Virginia av
Clara Behr	4410 Minnesota av
Edward J. Scheer	1457 Dodier st
Sophie Iverson	3500 North Market st
E. H. Partenfelder	Saginaw, Mich
Esther A. Wangerin	1512 Morgan st
Bernhard J. Koebbe	5227 Meramec st
Christina J. Wendel	3307 Meramec st
William C. Tettenhorst	1430 Faragut st
Tillie A. Nagel	2106 De Soto st
F. G. J. Brinkmeier	1931 Hebert st
Lena Rabenneck	1903A Dodier st
William E. Field	725 Euclid av
Emma Adams	4505 McMillan av
Morris Lavin	Adams, Mass
Ray Lowenberg	4026A Laclede av
A. R. Thomas	Kansas City, Mo
Ellen T. Keenan	Chicago, Ill
C. Breitenbach	1017 Lynch st
Paula Husman	1907 Lynch st
Carl Helder	1314 Lynch st
Elise Uhrich	3107 Shenandoah av
A. C. Goeddel	310 Carr st
Amie M. Kohle	Madison, Ill
H. W. Winiger	3311 Kline st
Ida Echternkamp	1424 Benton st
C. M. Van Dyke	780 Bayard av
May G. Vermillion	772 Bayard av
A. H. Sonner	1408 Papin st
Bertha R. Casto	913 S. 17th st
T. W. Keune	2854 S. 18th st
Annie Dieterle	1526 S. Broadway
William M. Selden	1622 Washington av
Juniata M. Groninger	Port Royal, Pa
M. K. Barkley	1104A Pendleton av
Marilda Zels	1204 S. 7th st
Bernard F. McDonald	2714 Clark av
Katherine Welan	4532 Evans av
Charles O. Andreas	St. Louis County
Annie Engelke	St. Louis County
Joseph H. Kuehling	2356 S. 11th st
Anna Herbert	2300 S. 3d st
Albert N. Montgomery	6921 Pennsylvania av
Annie Boese	6112 S. 8th st
John Stolzenberg, Jr.	3699 N. 22d st
Florence Brook	4343 Gano av
Louis Guex	St. Louis County
Eugenie Starck	St. Louis County
John B. Mesch	1207 N. Garrison av
Jennie Tesson	4410 Maffitt av

Ladies' Solitaire Diamond Rings, New and artistic mountings, $15 to $250, at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

HOW THE SUBURBANITE SMILES

The City Folk Who Poked Fun at Him Utilizing His Means of Transit.

For years, the jeers of funny men have centered on the wretch
Who lived in the suburban town, full many miles a stretch
From life and strife of city sort; and ran to catch a train,
And walked some more full weary miles, to get to town again!

But now, I vow, the smiles are all on the Commuters' side;
In trains of cars, at lively speed, suburbanites now ride,
While we, ah, me! in drays and carts, with horses prone to balk,
In 'bus and cab, and stage coach go, or wheel, or else—we walk!

Which goes to show, you never know; and also, you can't tell—
The tortoise may the fleet hare beat—so don't let your head swell!
ESOP UP TO DATE.

The modest suburbanite now has the laugh on his boasting city brother.

Prior to the inauguration of the big strike, the city man was wont to refer with considerable scorn and much frequency to the inconvenience the suburbanite experienced in traveling between his home in Kirkwood or Webster or Ferguson and his place of business downtown. But now the tables are turned. The man who formerly listened meekly to the sarcastic comments of his urban friend now smiles broadly whenever he sees the aforesaid friend, and makes divers and sundry caustic observations on the latter's poor taste in riding in drays, milk wagons and various other conveyances not indorsed by fashionable society.

And the suburbanite may well afford to boast. The Missouri Pacific, Frisco, Wabash, Iron Mountain, Burlington and Terminal roads have all revised their suburban schedules and are affording out-of-town patrons excellent accommodations.

Local passenger traffic about Union Station has undergone a tremendous boom. In the morning and evening the Midway is jammed and every outgoing suburban train is packed.

But the travelers, it may be worth mentioning, are not all suburbanites. Men and women take these trains who live near the western city limits, in Carondelet and in North St. Louis.

Hundreds who usually go home by the Broadway line now take the Terminal road that runs along northward to the Merchants' Bridge, a few blocks from the river. To a passer-by it seems that no fewer than 500 passengers alight from one of these trains at East Grand avenue and proceed to their homes in the vicinity of the water tower. The Iron Mountain trains from the depot at Fourth and Chouteau avenue also carry hundreds of passengers to the southern end of the city—persons who usually go home by the Broadway and Southern Electric lines.

The Missouri Pacific is now running trains to Kirkwood, stopping at all intermediate stations. These leave Union Station as follows: 7, 8, 9:10 and 11:20 a. m., and 2, 3:30, 4:20, 5:25, 6:25, 6:40 and 9 p. m. To Oak Hill and Carondelet, 9 and 11 a. m. and 2, 4:55, 6:15 and 8.50 p. m.

The Frisco route has arranged the following schedule for Valley Park and way stations: 6:15 and 11 a. m., and 4:30 and 11:15 p. m. Two trains daily now leave for Clayton, one at 8:45 a. m. and another at 5 p. m.

The St. Louis Merchants' Bridge Terminal Railway Co. has inaugurated a 5-cent fare train service especially for the benefit of working people traveling between North Grand avenue and Gratiot street. Trains leave Gratiot street at 6:37 and 7:22 a. m. and 6:10 p. m., and leave North Grand avenue for Gratiot street at 6:15, 7 and 7:45 a. m. All these trains stop at Washington avenue, North Market and Bremen avenue, and on signals at Biddle street and Cass avenue.

The Wabash schedule of suburban trains is as follows:

Leave Union Station for St. Charles, stopping at Ewing, Vandeventer and Boyle avenues, Forest Park, Forsyth, Rosedale and so on, at 7:40, 9:15 a. m.; 1.30, 2:15, 2:45, 4:20, 5:05, 6:15, 7:30, 9:00 and 11:30 p. m. Returning, arrive at Union Station at 1:50, 6:5, 7:00, 8:30, 10:28, 11:16 a. m.; 4:05, 5:40, 6.15, 6:50 and 10:50 p. m.

On the north branch, from Olive street, trains leave, stopping at Franklin, North Market, St. Louis, Bremen, O'Fallon Park, Bellefontaine, Calvary, Baden and on out, 6:45, 8:50, 11:00 a. m.; 1:55, 4:15, 5:40, 5:45, 6:20 and 11:30 p. m. Returning, arrive at 6:40, 7.50, 8:40 and 10:30 a. m.; 1:50, 3:20, 5:35, 6:10 and 10:50 p. m.

Expert bicycle repairing of every description done promptly at low rates. Neustadt, 413 North Twelfth street.

NONUNION MEN ASSAULTED.

Charles Ebers Hit and Homer Walton and J. W. Sanders Arrested.

Charles Ebers, a nonunion street railway conductor, living at 3105 California avenue, was assaulted at Grand and Park avenues about 11:30 o'clock. Homer Walton of 3923 Folsom street and Joseph W. Sanders of 5229 South Compton avenue were named as his assailants. His head was cut by a brickbat, but the wound is not serious. The two men named were arrested and taken to the Reservoir Police Station.

TYPE FOUNDERS INDORSE IT.

Union Men to Be Fined If They Ride on Cars.

At a meeting of St. Louis Type Founders' Union No. 5, Wednesday evening, resolutions were adopted, indorsing the strike of the employes of the Suburban and transit companies' lines and imposing a fine of $3 on any member of the union caught riding on a street car while the strike is in progress.

Democratic Mass Meeting.

There will be a Democratic mass meeting of the voters of the Sixth Ward Thursday night at 8 o'clock at 706 South Fourth street, to select delegates to the Kansas City, Jefferson City, Sedalia and Cape Girardeau conventions. John A. Lee, candidate for lieutenant-governor, and other speakers will address the meeting.

A GOOD COMPLEXION

Depends on Good Digestion.

This is almost an axiom, although usually we are apt to think that cosmetics, face powders, lotions, fancy soaps, etc., are the secrets of securing a clear complexion. But all these are simply superficial assistants.

It is impossible to have a good complexion unless the digestive organs perform their work properly, unless the stomach by properly digesting the food taken into it furnishes an abundance of pure blood, a good complexion is impossible.

This is the reason so many ladies are using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they promply cure any stomach trouble, and they have found out that perfect digestion means a perfect complexion and one that does not require cosmetics and powders to enhance its beauty.

Many ladies diet themselves or deny themselves many articles of food solely in order to keep their complexion clear. When Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are used no such dieting is necessary. Take these tablets and eat all the good, wholesome food you want, and you need have no fear of indigestion nor the sallow, dull complexion which nine women out of ten have, solely because they are suffering from some form of indigestion.

Bear in mind that beauty proceeds from good health, good health results from perfect digestion, and we have advanced the best argument to induce every man and woman to give this splendid remedy a trial.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets can be found in drug stores and costs but 50 cents per package.

If there is any derangement of the stomach or bowels they will remove it, and the resultant effects are good digestion, good health and a clear, bright complexion.

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Kinloch, D-169.
Kinloch, C-1298.

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48-lb. sack 95c
98-lb. sack $1.90
Grape-Nuts 12c
Best Stove Gasoline, per gallon 12c
Scotch Oats, 2 packages 15c
Malt Nutrine, per dozen $1.95
Empty bottles taken back at 25c per dozen.
3-lb. bar Genuine White Castile Soap 27c
High-Grade Ginger Snaps, per lb 5c
Town Talk brand Unsweetened Cream, 2 cans 15c
Warranted first quality.
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RESTORE PEACE AND PROSPEROUS ACTIVITY.

In New Zealand, where no strike or lockout has occurred for five years, the law provides for the adjudication of disputes between employers and employes in the courts.

Missouri has no law providing for the settlement of labor disputes in court. But the principle of arbitration is recognized in the Missouri statutes.

Article II., chapter 121 of the Revised Statutes authorizes and enjoins the Commissioner of Labor Statistics and Inspection to seek to mediate between parties to a dispute. It also provides for the organization of a board of arbitration, with power to summon witnesses, to hear the matter in dispute, and to render a decision which shall be published. This proceeding toward mediation in labor disputes is at the discretion of the Labor Commissioner and is of no effect unless accepted by the parties to the controversy, except as a means of informing the public concerning the merits of the dispute. But it is a clear recognition of the soundness of the principle of arbitration and of the wisdom of invoking it in labor disputes.

Arbitration, a reasonable and equitable adjustment of differences between employers and employes, is the method of civilization; it is the humane method; it embodies the highest wisdom in the adjustment of all social and industrial difficulties. It averts disastrous disturbances and protects the community from the calamitous effects of industrial warfare.

Regardless of the merits of the dispute between the St. Louis Transit Co. and its employes, it is clear from explanations made subsequent to the making of the original issue, that a satisfactory conclusion could be reached by a board of fair-minded men, which would secure the rights and interests of all concerned.

This is a consummation devoutly to be wished. It would at once restore peace, order and the usual activities of the people. It would avert all possibility of disorder and disturbance. The moral influence of the people of St. Louis should be directed towards a peaceable and equitable adjustment of the present difficulty.

The effort should take immediate practical shape by the formation of a committee for the purpose of bringing the two parties together.

Let the street car traffic be resumed and business restored to its usual activities. Arbitrate—Settle the strike.

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The strap passenger in a street railway suspension consoles himself with the thought that walking is not so much worse than standing up.

MOUSETRAPS AND POEMS.

The story of the first typewriter girl in the Sunday Post-Dispatch is a reminder that most of what are called modern conveniences are the product of this generation and scarcely any go back more than 60 years.

The beginnings of the railroad and telegraph are within the memory of men yet living, while the telephone, phonograph and typewriter date back only 25 years.

It would be interesting to learn just why human genius has, in this age, gone so largely into mechanic invention. In the time of Pericles almost the entire vital force of the Athenian people went into art in some form. But there is no evidence that even the wisest of that day had any glimpse of mechanic laws. In the Elizabethan age literature and geographical discovery absorbed the best minds, but there was no special advance in other respects. The spirit of man grew amazingly, but did not apply itself to comfort or convenience.

In the present age it is more important to invent a good mousetrap than to write an incomparable poem. That is, there is more money in it, and moreover there is greater demand for it.

But why is it that Yankee notions are more in demand now than in former ages, and why don't we write poems as well as make mousetraps. Is it the law that an age can only produce one thing?

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The arbitrary increase in the price of ice by the New York Ice Trust has given practical force to the suggestion of a municipal ice plant. Men who usually dismiss such projects as "theory" are talking seriously of the proposal and actually making estimates. The trusts may yet dig their own graves.

POOR GIRLS IN COLLEGE.

Girls who want to go to college, but haven't the means, need not give up.

Jeannette A. Marks of Wellesley College tells, in the Sunday Post-Dispatch, how girls may support themselves while pursuing a college course.

A girl student can do many things. If she is skillful with the needle she can do sewing and make a tidy little sum, or she can get an agency to sell all sorts of useful litle articles. If she has artistic skill she is in demand for posters, valentines, programs, etc. Lacking any special talent she can wash dishes, make beds, etc. Miss Marks tells of two friends of hers who blacked boots.

Where there's a will there's a way. If a girl wants to go through college she will go with or without money. If she doesn't want to go the possession of money will make no difference.

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Webster Davis going to a national convention as a delegate and supporting a candidate with a chocolate spine would be rather an odd sequel to his Boer lectures.

AN ALARM BELL.

A voice from Maryland calls attention to the peril this country is in from its kindergartens. The owner of the voice tells us that the American home is being subverted by these institutions. They are the most dangerous features of popular education.

The pernicious system of teaching little children form, color, rhythm and tone must be stopped. Hush the kindergarten piano; put away the tissue paper, the peas and the matchsticks. Drape the blackboard and stop the motion songs. Let the marches and the object lessons cease. The country must be saved!

The voice says that kindergarten children do not grow up to respect home or parents. This is sad. Doubtless the prisons are being peopled with former kindergarten pupils. These terrible infant schools take little children out of slum surroundings at a tender age and incite them to dare-devil doings by teaching them pretty songs and light calisthenics. Let them be closed. Let the children remain in the tenements and the streets. The warning has been given and must not go unheeded.

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Wednesday a man was killed in a disturbance on the line of the Suburban railway at Taylor avenue. This is an impressive warning to all persons to keep away from crowds, and to avoid any encouragement of lawlessness in any manner. It supplements the proclamations and warnings of the authorities. Order and peace must be maintained. Life and property must be protected. The authorities must do their duty. All law-abiding citizens should co-operate with them in maintaining order and preventing lawlessness. This is the prime essential at this critical time, and is indispensable to a prompt and satisfactory settlement of the existing trouble.

MINDING YOUR OWN BUSINESS.

Secretary Root's recently expressed solicitude for the Monroe Doctrine has excited a discussion not altogether solemn among the English newspapers.

The Saturday Review asks if the United States "has not voluntarily abandoned all moral claim to insist on the recognition of the Monroe Doctrine by Europe."

So it appears to impartial American observers. The Outlook reasons very justly that "the sole ground upon which the United States can successfully maintain their exclusive influence on the American continent is that they shall not interfere on other continents. The rule applies to men and nations alike, that in requiring others to attend to their own affairs, you must define your own business and stick to it." Not many years ago the Monroe Doctrine was questioned by every power in Europe, but during the Venezuelan discussion Great Britain practically conceded it and it became virtually a part of international law.

Under its protection the entire American continent was secure from foreign encroachment and the United States supreme on this side the world. By our aggressions in the Orient we forfeit this security and pre-eminence and acknowledge the right of any power of Europe to make corresponding aggressive movements in America. This is the logic of the Outlook which cannot be disputed or evaded.

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Was the Illinois Republican platform prepared by children, or are its authors grown people, who suppose that newspaper readers have short memories? If Democratic rule paralyzed industry in 1895, what paralyzed industry in 1877, that dreary year of hard times and frightful labor riots? The Illinois Republican platform is contemptible to every reader who is not an unreasoning partisan.

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It is sad that so many able Republican organs have written able editorials on the false report that Dewey had said, in St. Louis, that we could whip any nation in the world except England, and that England is our best friend. Since the Admiral proclaimed himself a Democrat, he can hardly look for anything from Administration organs but misrepresentation.

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The Crown Prince of Germany looks like an ordinary youth, and if he had been born in the United States or any other republic he would doubtless have had little hope of the presidency. Perhaps even the office of constable would not be his. However, let us be patient. We are drifting to imperialism and may some day be blessed with a commonplace boy over us.

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Uncle Samuel has now to pay the debt of Hawaii, which amounts to $4,000,000, and draws a heavy interest. By sufficient effort we may yet be able to spend the surplus which has followed the collection of our heavy war taxes, complaints of which are coming from all parts of the country.

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Over in Louisville they will have a statue of Jefferson bearing the Declaration of Independence, as it has been shipped from Berlin. Evidently the sculptor was not aware of what has been happening to the Declaration since we burst the Eastern horizon.

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With the United Fruit Co. producing 1000 barrels of sugar in a day in Cuba, there will be a large addition to our tropical sweetness. And there are others in the sugar business who will compete with the product in the states.

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Bishop Potter is talking flubdub when he speaks of the national mortification of giving up our responsibilities in the Philippines. There can be no national mortification in doing simple justice.

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President McKinley's one veto during his term may add to the conviction in some minds that a presidential backbone may be of the chocolate variety.

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POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

To do the pedestrian feat one must have pedestrian feet.

We can all "wait for the wagon," but we can't all "take a ride."

The strike has been a distinct jolt to the man who goes by wagon.

The Filipinos can never amount to much until they have a Jeffries or a Corbett.

With a statue of the Queen in Dublin, Mr. Bull will feel that Ireland is truly blessed.

Smashing the Ice Trust would be a good way to break the ice in the matter of checking the trusts.

The prizefighters who take eight-mile jaunts in their training might not mind a street-railway strike.

The St. Louisan is generally envied, but just now there are those who would not like to be in his shoes.

The Neely embezzlement may scare off some of the Filipinos who were about to surrender and learn our civilization.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

(This column is open to everybody who has a complaint to make, a grievance to ventilate, information to give or a subject of general interest to discuss, or a public service to acknowledge, and who can put the idea into the fewest words possible. Letters from persons seeking employment cannot be given place in this column.)

The Ice Combine.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I notice an article in the Post-Dispatch on the 8th inst. signed "Consumer," in which he wants to know the reason of two prices being asked for ice. I will try to answer.

1. The ice factories are controlled by about two companies who dictate to small retailers and also make the prices for us to be governed by.

2. The managers of these companies called a meeting and made the prices at which all small dealers were to sell to the consumers. Next these managers sent out men to canvass the small retailers' trade at different prices, thus trying to force small dealers out of the business and leaving the field clear for themselves, and either letting small dealers starve or beg for work, or, in other words, cutting the small dealers' throats.

St. Louis. ICE MAN.

Over-Worked Horses.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

There are a great many horses on the streets hauling passengers in various kinds of vehicles that appear to be too old and otherwise unfit for work. Of course, under existing conditions, every horse that can crawl along will be put to work. But the Humane Society should be more than usually alert while the strike lasts. I have seen a number of animals that seemed to require their attention.

St. Louis. A WALKER.

Milwaukee's Gift to Dewey.

From the Chicago Times-Herald.

St. Louis has presented a punchbowl to Dewey, and we are authorized to announce that Milwaukee stands ready to give him a handsome stein if he will favor that city with a call.

An Excellent Portrait.

From the Clinton (Mo.) Democrat.

The St. Louis Post-Dispatch of yesterday contained an excellent portrait of Mrs. M. Ladenson of Clinton, formerly Miss Bessie Davis of St. Louis.

Missouri and the Canal.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Nicaragua Canal bill passed the House by a vote of 225 to 35, and of that thirty-five negative votes twelve came from the Democratic delegation of Missouri. What is the matter with the Missouri Democrats?

From the Louisville Times.

Well, perhaps like a good many Kentuckians, to whom they are nearly allied, it is their honest conviction that all the water in the world isn't worth $140,000,000.

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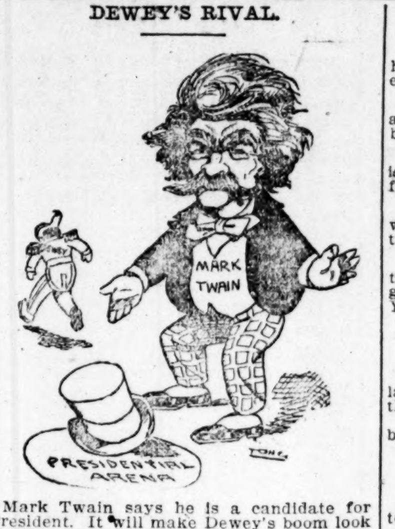
DEWEY'S RIVAL.



Mark Twain says he is a candidate for President. It will make Dewey's boom look like 30 cents.

SHE'S LEARNED IT.

Laura: Does George ever seem to cast a sort of mysterious spell over you?

Mildred: He did at first, but I've got onto it now. You see, he got carried away with that phonetic spelling fad they tried to introduce in the university.—Chicago Times-Herald.

LAUNCHING A JAPANESE SHIP.

The Japanese apply one of their many pretty ways to the launching of ships. They use no wine, but hang over the ship's prow a large pasteboard cage full of birds. The moment the ship is afloat a man pulls a string, when the cage opens, and the birds fly away, making the air alive with music and the whirr of wings. The idea is that the birds thus welcome the ship as she begins her career as a thing of life.

ALONE.

Around me is stillness and darkness.
Above me one small lamp is burning,
And girders creak soft as the night wind
Sways the work-dreary old building.

A mad, inexpressible poem allures me—
My fingers yearn for the craft of an organ—
My lips form a bow for the flute of my fancy.

Around me is stillness and darkness.
I reach out my hand, vainly feeling
For the tender touch of the woman
Who dwells in the heart of my fancy—
Who knows the one rhyme I am seeking—
Whose finger tips fashion my music—
Who plays on my sense as a harpist—
Whose lips are my soul's invitation.

Around me is stillness and darkness.
Above me one small lamp is burning
With flame that is smoky and yellow;
The girders have ceased their complaining
And, down in the heart of the building,
A clock strikes the hour of deep darkness.

Then, in the lonely, last watches
The poem, that vainly allured me,
Fades into dumbness and darkness.
I reach my hand, hopelessly feeling
For the comforting touch of the woman.
—From "Fancies," by Jon E. Gorse.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

Every time a widower gets a new suit, half the women he knows roll up their eyes.

A woman can never propose as artistically as a man because she is always in too big a hurry.

When a girl tries to hold a man's eyes she is generally doing it so he won't notice her freckles or something.

The average man loves his wife most when she is away visiting and least when they are house cleaning.

A man can always make his wife proud to death of him by referring to the hired girl as "the maid" before company.—New York Press.

INFORMATION WANTED.

"Speaking of heirlooms," said the landlady, "I have one which has come down through five generations and"——

"Pardon me," interrupted the frivolous boarder, "but do you refer to the butter?"

HE STILL HAD THEM.

Judge: I see you lost a couple of front teeth in the fracas.

Prisoner: No, Your Honor, I didn't lose them.

Judge: But they are missing.

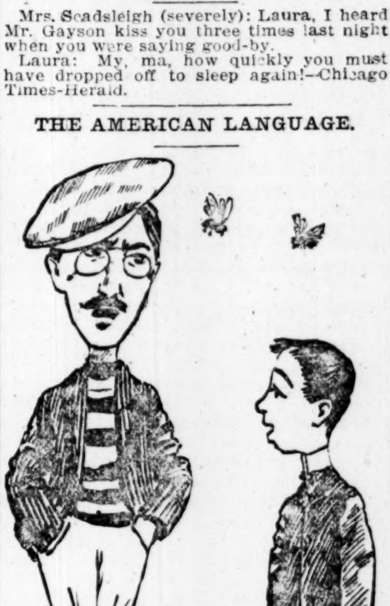
Prisoner: Yes, but I swallowed them.

ONLY THREE.

Mrs. Scadsleigh (severely): Laura, I heard Mr. Gayson kiss you three times last night when you were saying good-by.

Laura: My, ma, how quickly you must have dropped off to sleep again!—Chicago Times-Herald.

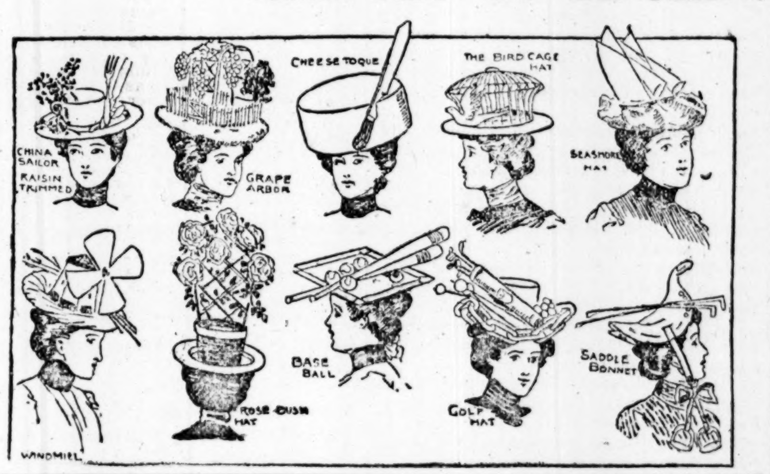
THE AMERICAN LANGUAGE.



Willieboy: Were you ever intoxicated, pop?

His Father: You've got your face with you to make that sort of a crack at your father! I have occasionally been a bit woozy at a banquet, but I never got full or went dead to the world.

SOME GIRLS' HATS THAT ARE YET TO BE SEEN.

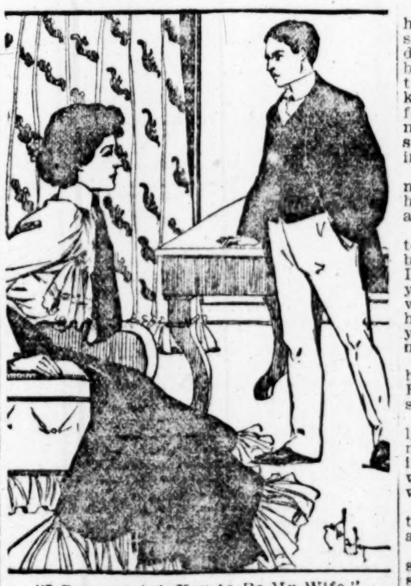


THE DAY'S LOVE STORY

A BATTLE OF HEARTS.

She was bending over a new book as he came in. She laid it down and rose to greet him.

He smiled as one to whom such things were due and seated himself where he could face her. She was looking her best that afternoon. She was aware of that fact, and for one who loathed affectation her pose was suspiciously like it. But he only thought how well she would carry the family name and the family diamonds.



"I Came to Ask You to Be My Wife."

"I came this afternoon," he said, "for a special purpose. I hoped last night when I asked if I might see you alone to-day you would understand why I asked."

He was so sure of her answer that while she felt he deserved a refusal, yet she felt a little sorry for him. He was distinctly good to look at, bright and clever as possible, irreproachable in family and position, the only child, and his mother was quite willing she should have those magnificent diamonds.

She lifted her eyes to him.

"I came to ask you to be my wife." He spoke impressively, and yet with the tone of one who is trying not to overwhelm another.

Perhaps she was nervous, but she undoubtedly smothered a giggle. He evidently thought it a sob, for he came to her side and leaned over her chair.

"I did not mean to agitate you, my darling." He was trying to take her hand. "Don't keep me in suspense longer than is necessary."

"You are kind," she said politely, "but I don't believe I care about accepting your offer."

He flushed a dark crimson.

"You never cared for me," she said, and her voice shook a little. "You were always so busy telling me about yourself and your doings." Her indignation was getting the better of her sympathies. "You had no time to think about me. Why, you don't even know the color of my eyes. I suppose you felt it was time you married, and your mother approved of me, and so you condescended to honor me with your hand, thinking I would be grateful."

He was looking at her, but she refused to meet his gaze. He was so surprised that he grew pale. His voice was constrained as he answered her:

"You are wrong about my not being interested in what you do or say. I have been thinking of you, and you only, since I first meet you. You did me good, for in your quiet way you let me see sometimes what a fool you thought me. I ought to have seen that I bored you. I tried to please you, and I was only making you despise me."

He had never looked so manly or so handsome, and her heart warmed to him. He saw her indignation vanishing. His self-possession returned.

"I love you, my little girl," he said tenderly. "Forgive me for seeming indifferent. I never was." There was no confidence now in his tone, only entreaty. "Can I hope to win you in time if I try to be what you would have me?"

Where was her anger? She tried in vain to find it. Was a pleading voice to undo all her stern determination?

"Look at me, please," he begged. "Let me see those blue eyes once more before you send me away. You see you wronged me when you said I did not know their color. They always remind me of violets. Must I go without a word? Are you not going to speak to me? At least you will say good afternoon?"

Nothing could have been better than his hurt tone.

She rose slowly and give him her hand, still refusing to lift her eyes.

"Good-by," she said, in a would-be firm voice. There was a twinkle in his eyes that perhaps it was just as well she missed, but he said nothing, only took her other hand and lifted both to his lips. Twice he did this; then, sighing deeply, let them go and turned to the door. As he reached the threshold he turned for a last look. She was glancing at him, and she buried her face in her hands as she cried, "Come back!"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

SOCIETY IN MIDWEEK

SOME RECENT DOINGS OF THE GAY SET.

MONTICELLO ALUMNAE'S TRIP.

An Informal Tea, "The Roses'" Outing, the G. T. Club Dance and Some Other Functions.

St. Louis members of the Monticello Seminary Alumnae Association will form a party next Tuesday to make the trip from this city to Edwardsville, Ill., where the twelfth annual reunion of the Monticello Students' Association will be held.

The reunion will be in the form of an all-day reception and a luncheon at the residence of Mrs. W. F. L. Hadley in Edwardsville and all the former Monticello students are invited to attend.

The guests from St. Louis and its vicinity will make the trip on the Wabash train, leaving Union Station at 9 o'clock. A special rate of $1.25 for the round trip has been made for the day.

Those who wish to attend will respond as early as possible to Mrs. W. F. L. Hadley, Edwardsville, Ill.

Informal Tea.

Mrs. Samuel D. Winter and Mrs. R. D. Rash of 4244 Westminster place gave a small but elegant 5 o'clock tea Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. John Ockerson, who leaves soon for a lengthy tour of foreign countries.

The decorations for the occasion were pink and white sweet peas, smilax and ferns in the dining room and red carnations and trailing vines in the drawing room and reception hall.

A few of those who attended were:

Mesdames—
John Ockerson,
John Young Brown,
Margaret Beach,
Forrest Ferguson,
John Duncan,
Raymond,

Mesdames—
Raffree Winter,
Franklin A. Spencer,
Charles Alfred Booth,
Robert Atkinson,
John B. Slaughter,
Lyne Metcalfe.

The G. T. Club.

The G. T. Club gave its final dance of the season at Mahler's, Thursday evening, when all thirty of its members were present. The ballroom was tastefully decorated as was also the smaller hall where supper was served at midnight.

Those present were:

Misses—
Daisy M. Deitering,
Katheryn Quinn,
Elizabeth A. Gill,
Emma Breidenbach,
Allave Garbarino,
Marion Kauffman,
Mona Leman,

Misses—
Hettie Glazebrook,
Sadie Jarrett,
May Murray,
Birdie Schaefer,
Ella Schulenburg,
Emma Glazebrook.

Messrs.—
Flavius J. North,
James J. Quinn,
John Martin,
Arthur V. Marquardt,
Will J. Murray,
Paul Giessow,
Richard Gill,
Chas. H. Deitering,

Messrs.—
Frank Harris,
Myron Medsker,
Don Kneedler,
Dr. Niel Nelson,
Gus Bischoff,
Oscar Bausch,
Hugh Hartung.

On the South Side.

Miss Clara Young gave an informal musicale Saturday evening to a few friends among whom were:

Misses—
Daisy Hennemann,
Mollie Witzel,
Laura Debus,
Ella Lewitz,

Misses—
Lulu Sanders,
Gertie Siler,
Gretchen Koennker,
Capitola Smith.

Messrs.—
Henry Hendricks,
W. Lee Siler,
Ed D. Els,
Wm. C. Koennker,

Messrs.—
R. Turton,
J. Albers,
Wm. Eddinger,
E. Lewitz.

"The Roses."

"The Roses," an outing club composed of a dozen or so prominent South Side persons, will enjoy its first trip of the season, Sunday, May 13, when the members will make the run down the Mississippi and up the Meramec on the private yacht, "Genevieve."

The club includes Misses Louisa Thudium, Minnie Morton, Alma Felling, Minnette Wiese and Messrs. Charles Re Ruez, Charles A. Wehmeyer, F. W. Richter and Louis Quest.

Out of Town.

Mrs. John Decker chaperoned a party of young people to Allenton, Mo., last Sunday to the last meeting of the Rosebud Club which was held at the home of Mrs. Tom Evans. The day was passed in enjoyment of a number of novel al fresco amusements. In the party were:

Misses—
Margaret Burnside,
Jessie Burnside,
Amelia Maynard,

Misses—
Luella Kufmann,
Dorothy Decker.

Messrs.—
Ike Engel,
William Huebel,

David Decker,
Edward Methudy,
Clarence Hunt.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. J. Frank Cummings of 3907 Kennerly avenue gave an informal musicale last Friday afternoon in honor of her birthday. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion with roses and carnations. Luncheon was served in courses at 5 o'clock, and at each place was a big bunch of red roses tied with red and white ribbon. Among the guests were:

Mesdames—
Lindenschmidt,
Kenner,
McGill,

Mesdames—
C. Porter,
W. Porter.

Misses—
Helen Gockel,
Brandstetter,
Wild,

Misses—
Ricket,
Kaub,
Moll.

SOCIETY IN WAGONS

The World's Fair Committee was represented in Tuesday evening's procession of emergency vehicles by John H. Overall, Sr., who drove home in state and incidentally in an antique market wagon.

Mrs. Kate Chopin and her beautiful daughter, Miss Lelia, were compelled to take the boot and shoe line home from their shopping expedition down town.

Young Bailiff Theodore Hinckley of Judge Thayer's court, was another of the many who were walking home to reduce their conspicuous avoirdupois.

Mrs. Hunt Turner takes her husband home in their smart little runabout.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gardner were conspicuously stunning in a very English spider about three stories high.

William L. Huse and John S. Dunham provided a comfortable seat for Mr. Huse's darky coachman who took them home in a sort of pill-box buggy.

William Porteous was a lovely picture on the high drivers' seat of a moving van going west on Locust street at 5:30 o'clock every evening.

As he was riding down town on a Suburban car Tuesday morning, Maj. Henry Clapp of the Wabash road was delighted to receive a large juicy orange right in the middle of his immaculate "biled" shirt bosom.

BITTEN BY A HORSE.

Horatio R. Hooper Meets With a Terrible Misfortune.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Horatio R. Harper, a member of the famous family of publishers, is in a serious condition at his home at Sands Point, L. I., having been terribly bitten by a horse.

Dr. Harper entered the stall of the horse and the animal turned on him fiercely and caught the unfortunate man's upper lips between its teeth.

A small portion of the lip was bitten completely off and the rest of it hung by a few shreds. Mr. Harper was cut and bruised in many places on the body where the hoofs of the horse struck him.

MR. M'KINLEY WORRIED

CUBAN SCANDAL MAY BE SERIOUS TO HIS ADMINISTRATION.

PROSECUTION TO BE VIGOROUS.

Postmaster General Smith Realizes That Delay or Mildness Will Not Do in the Neely Case.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—"The President is worried over the Cuban postal thefts," said an administration leader who saw Mr. McKinley this morning, to the Post-Dispatch correspondent.

"There is much worry in the Capitol also. The serious nature of the scandal is appreciated. The first talk of minimizing the affair is no longer heard. Every administration leader now virtuously cries, 'punish the rascals.'"

This has been the position of Postmaster-General Smith from the first. Mr. Smith is the politician of the cabinet. He appreciates the dangerous character of the Neely scandal. He is hopeful that the worst is known. He is determined to locate all the guilty parties and punish them.

The President at first hesitated, but Postmaster-General Smith insisted that he should not be hampered in his investigation.

HIS CAREER WAS METEORIC.

If All Tales Are True Neeley Made Riches in Short Order.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MUNCIE, Ind., May 10.—C. W. F. Neely has returned to his home in this city.

When Neely was appointed to his place in Cuba it was the general opinion that he was without money.

Theatrical speculations are said to have caused the loss of all his money. A story is told of a package which Neely is alleged to have sent from Havana to Muncie last August. The package arrived here, addressed to a friend of Neely's, and the letter followed, telling him to see that the package was placed in a safe deposit vault.

A few weeks later Neely arrived in Muncie. He invited his friend to see him open the package. Neely tore off the wrappings, according to the report, and exposed to the astonished gaze of the men, $15,000.

When Neely left Muncie it was certain he did not have that amount, and he had not been in Cuba long enough to draw in salary a sum at all approaching such a figure.

"Where did you get that?" his friend asked in astonishment.

"O, money is easy for us all in Cuba," Neely is said to have responded, cheerfully.

Neely's career has been of a sort generally described as meteoric. A few years ago he was a country school teacher in this county. He came to town and went to work as a reporter and later was the owner of the paper.

A boom struck Muncie, and with the growth of the city, Neely's newspaper property became more valuable. He was not content with the earnings of his newspaper and printing business. He thought he saw quick profits ahead in the theatrical business and plunged as backer of "Merry World" Company, a show which claimed Muncie for a home. The "Merry World" Company was hungry. It ate money. Finally Neely mortgaged his plant and was forced to sell, leaving him with scarcely any profit.

It was the political influence of Perry S. Heath which caused Neely to secure his present position. Neely and Perry Heath were both reporters on the News years ago, and when three years ago creditors were pusing their claims against the News, Neely received financial aid from the Heaths. The paper has since been sold to Fletcher Heath of New York and Cy. Heath of Muncie, brothers of Perry.

The cash bond of $20,000 put up by Neely in New York was furnished by Perry Heath's bank in New York (the Seventh National) at the request of the Union National of this city in which the Heaths are largely interested.

Friday night a cablegram from Maj. Rathbone, chief of the Cuban postal service, came to Muncie, addressed to Neely. It asked Neely to come to Cuba at once.

UNFORTUNATE IN HIS FRIENDS.

Appointees Brought Scandal to Ohio When McKinley Was Governor.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COLUMBUS, O., May 10.—McKinley's administration as governor of Ohio was characterized by more scandals than that of any other governor in the past thirty years. His poor business qualities were shown at the close, when the failure of Chauncey N. Walker of Youngstown brought out that he was on Walker's paper for over $100,000.

For state inspector of shops and factories McKinley appointed W. Z. McDonald of Akron. In a short time McDonald was found to be systematically defrauding the state by raising salary and expense vouchers. An investigation showed that he had taken $6000. He paid that amount over to McKinley, as he afterward claimed, on condition that he be retained in office and be not prosecuted. McKinley removed him, but he was never tried. McDonald admitted that he had destroyed the records.

McKinley's choice for adjutant-general was E. J. Pocock. His conduct of the office brought such a scandal upon McKinley's administration in conection with the official visit of the governor to the World's Fair that his resignation was called for. The state prison administration under Gov. McKinley was most disgraceful. The Rev. J. H. Triffit was appointed chaplain at McKinley's special request. He was forced to resign in two months because of serious charges against him.

His successor, the Rev. W. R. Dudley, resigned, pending charges of having taken money from letters of convicts intrusted to his care.

Deputy Warden Playford assaulted Deputy Warden Stackhouse before all the convicts in chapel exercise. An investigation followed, resulting in the retirement of Playford.

The most extensive scheme by McKinley's appointees to fleece the state was known as the "Ohio Valley Publishing Co." which was engineered by J. P. Smith, McKinley's state librarian, and Alex. Caine, clerk of the Senate. Other members of McKinley's official family were drawn into it later on. "The company" secured plates of Whitelaw Reid's "Ohio in the War," and introduced a bill into the legislature to authorize the purchase by the state of one set of the books, at a fancy price, for each school in Ohio. The nature of the bill and the members of the Ohio Valley Publishing Co. were discovered just in time to prevent its passage. The "company" still has large numbers of the books on hand.

THE SOFT-NOSE SHELL.

How It Can Be Made to Pierce Armor Plate.

NEW YORK, May 10.—James W. Johnson, member of the firm of Isaac C. Johnson & Co., of Spuyten Duyvil, inventors of the Johnson soft-nose shell, explained last night how the soft steel cap enables a projectile to pierce armor plate.

"I think," said Mr. Johnson, "that the action of the soft steel cap may be illustrated by a simple experiment. If you would try to drive a single nail through a piece of sheet iron the nail would bend, but if you first drive a nail through a piece of hard wood it will penetrate the sheet iron.

"The soft nose, in others, prevents the projectile from glancing off. Its whole force is concentrated at the point. In one of the tests made at Indian Head we fired a projectile at the armor plate at an angle of 21 degrees. No sooner had the soft nose touched the plate than the projectile turned at a right angle to the plate and penetrated it. The cap or soft nose also acts as a kind of lubricant to the shell."

SPORTS OF THE DAY

LOOKS AWFUL WELL.

CORBETT IN GREAT SHAPE FOR HIS FIGHT WITH JEFFRIES.

THEY MEET ON FRIDAY NIGHT.

The Pompadour More Confident Than Ever That He Will Give Good Account of Himself.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LAKEWOOD, N. J., May 10.—There is a revelation in store for the sporting world at Coney Island to-morrow night.

It will be made when Jim Corbett throws aside his bathrobe in the ring and the people have a chance to inspect the man who fights Jeffries for the championship of the world.

When men see how big, how rugged, how robust Corbett has become, they will wonder how in the world anyone ever bet 2 to 1 against him.

If looks and work count for anything he is even money or better against any man living.

I have seen Corbett during his training and in his battles with Sullivan, Mitchell, Fitzsimmons and Sharkey and I never saw him so well and fit, so rugged and strong as he is now. He looks as young to-day as he did in 1892, when he fought Sullivan. Every one who knows Corbett, and a few thousand others who think they know him, will laugh at this statement. Let them. They won't laugh to-morrow night when they look at him.

The man has accomplished a revolution. He has taken the jaded actor Corbett, who was beaten by Fitzsimmons, and all-night Saloonkeeper Corbett, who scampered around Central Park a few times before he fought Sharkey and transformed that thin, sallow, nervous, middle-aged fellow into a husky young athlete. How has he done it? Simply by long, patient, faithful training, by living outdoors, as nature intended man should live, and by not grinding the vitality out of himself with overwork, as he did in his training for other battles.

The magnificent condition of Champion Jeffries would extort a tribute of admiration from the most hopeless dyspeptic. Candor compels the statement that Corbett looks just as robust and rugged as the champion. Praise can go no further than that.

"My friends who haven't seen me think I'm a dead one," said Corbett, with a smile, "but if I don't give those two-to-one fellows something to think about I'm much mistaken."

When Corbett stripped for work in his gymnasium I was surprised.

"You've known me for years," he said. "Take a good look and tell me if you see any change?"

Change. It was a new Corbett who stood there. At Carson he was a greyhound. Now he is a big racehorse. At Carson and when he fought Sharkey in this city his muscles were smooth and inconspicuous—indicated rather than apparent. Now they stood out in ridges—not in the bulgy wads you see on a carthorse, but in the long, solid, powerful ridges you see on a grand stakehorse.

The man's neck is thicker. His face has lost the drawn look of old. There is more flesh on it—hard flesh and without a wrinkle. The sallow hue has given place to a healthy coat of tan.

Corbett's eyes are clear and bright. Better still, they are calm.

He has none of the irritability he formerly showed in training.

The greatest change in Corbett is the thickening about the shoulders and chest. He is deeper through there than I have ever seen him before.

"I have kept good hours and lived regularly for a year,' said Corbett. "During October, November and December I worked hard every day in Wood's gymnasium in New York. Then I came down here in January and I've been here ever since, except for a couple of weeks in March, when we expected to go West. Even then I kept up my exercises and the regular way of living. Then I returned to Lakewood. Down here for nearly four months I have lived outdoors practically all day, strolling along, running long distances two or three days a week, riding a horse every day, never working more than an hour and a half a day indoors. I haven't played handball because that fast game always tempted me to work too fast and too long, and took too much out of me. I've just lived a natural healthy life, and I've got back all my natural strength and even added something to it. I don't feel like a man in training. I feel like a healthy fellow who is so strong and well he does not know what to do with himself. In all the time I have been training I have put in only three hard days—that is, the kind of day that used to leave me tired out. And when I worked out these three times I did it only as a test. The last time was two weeks ago."

Corbett and his visitor put on gloves and sparred a couple of rounds. It was like chasing a shadow. Corbett could hardly keep his face straight. His foot work, always superb, was as easy and swift as ever. His rugged arms looked strong enough to knock his opponent's head a mile off. His feinting and incessant play of the fists worry a man tired. It is impossible to spar with him without getting angry at the impossibility of landing a blow anywhere near him. Meantime, he is dancing about, never within your reach, but always near enough to throw in a hook or a jab or a swing heavy enough to drop an ox.

Corbett, whether well or ill, has always done great work in training. The only element of doubt in my mind about his condition has been as to his staying power. That he has stamina and endurance in abundance one can see at a glance. He is a new man.

"I feel as if I could go right at Jeffries, mix it up with him and outslug him," Corbett says.

And he looks strong enough to outslug any man he meets. W. O. INGLIS.

Opinions of the Experts.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 10.—There are very few sporting men who are eager to risk their money on the result of the Jeffries-Corbett fight, but those with positive opinions are as numerous as blades of grass in Kentucky. Following are the predictions of some of the most prominent ones:

Sam Fitzpatrick: I pick Jeffries because I believe he is by far the better man.

Jimmy Wakely: Jeffries ought to win with a good, stiff punch in a few rounds, but he has not a cinch, by any means.

Kid McCoy: I like Corbett because he is better than people think he is, and he is always a great fighter.

Robert Fitzsimmons: Jeffries looks a shade the best, but Corbett is apt to surprise him.

"Al" Smith: I am a friend of both men and must refuse to express an opinion.

Gus Rublin: Corbett is in magnificent condition and I expect to see him champion again.

John Considine: I expect to see a lot of alleged wise ones fooled. Corbett is going to fight better Friday than ever before.

W. A. Brady: I don't doubt Corbett is in magnificent condition, but he can't get good enough to whip the champion.

With the Boxers.

There is a letter at the Post-Dispatch for Bob Douglass.

The boxing carnival which was to have taken place at the West End Coliseum Wednesday night was postponed until Friday night. President Haughton has tendered his club to the use of the strikers for a meeting place, and a meeting there Wednesday night caused him to postpone his athletic program.

George Wensley and Charlie McKean write the Post-Dispatch that one Ted Gagnon has been going around claiming victories over them when they never met that gentleman. But they would like to at any time or place.

SOME OF CORBETT'S STRIKING ATTITUDES

MR. JOHN J. M'GRAW.

PLAYING BALL COMES VERY NATURAL TO HIM.

The games scheduled for Saturday and Sunday between the St. Louis and Brooklyn Clubs at League Park will be played on those days regardless of the street car strike.

Treasurer Stanley Robison is authority for this statement, and he says he thinks the baseball enthusiasts will manage to get to the park to see those two great games in some way.

The street car tieup is costing the Robisons a neat sum of money, as the last two games with Cincinnati, which were postponed, would have surely drawn large crowds, especially as McGraw would have appeared in one of them.

If the strike is not settled by Monday, Mr. Robison says the St. Louis management will try and have all the games scheduled postponed until the cars are again in operation.

McGraw and Robinson put in an appearance at League Park Wednesday afternoon and spent two hours on the diamond with the rest of the team. All sorts of practice was indulged in and the new field captain played his regular position at the third corner. He handled everything sent his way in his old form and threw perfectly to McGann at first. At the bat, "Muggsy" also displayed his last season's form. His eye was just as keen in picking out the bad ones as ever, and when he did hit a good one it went into safe territory, almost every time. The rest of the team practiced with a vim and snap that does not augur well for the chances of the Brooklyns in their coming series.

Robinson spent most of his time coaching and receiving the young pitchers, a thing that the stout Baltimorean is noted for, and when he had completed his day's practice expressed great satisfaction with the bunch of young box artists, and said that some of them would develop, with good coaching, into pitchers that could be relied upon. "Robby" was especially impressed with Jack Harper, the "youngster" of the pitching corps, and predicted a great career for him. He has every facility for a great pitcher, plenty of speed, curves galore and a good head, but his control is not of the best, and under the tutelage of Robinson should develop into a star twirler.

Billy Keister and Emmett Heidrick, the two Red Caps on the injured list, are fast getting into shape, and it is not improbable that both will play in Saturday's game. Keister is enthusiastic over the prospect of again playing with McGraw. Billy was a member of "Muggsy's" Baltimore aggregation last season, and like every other member of that team, has the greatest respect in the world for the ability of his former manager. "Why," said Keister, "McGraw is the greatest man to help an inflelder that I know of. If a ball is sent to you, and a play has to be made quick, that causes some thinking, McGraw will tell you in a second what to do, and he generally tells you right."

There were no games played in the National League Wednesday, the street car tieup in St. Louis and inclement weather in other cities being the causes of postponement.

"Cy" Young received a letter from Harry Blake, formerly of the St. Louis club, but now with the Worcester, Mass., club of the Eastern League, and the little suburban te says he is playing great ball. He is batting .350 and is setting the New Englanders wild with his fielding.

College Athletics.

The St. Louis University-High School game of the Interscholastic League, which was to have been played Thursday afternoon at Pastime Park, has been indefinitely postponed because of the street car tie-up.

The annual field meet of the Washington University Athletic Association is scheduled for Friday afternoon at Pastime Park, but whether the meet will be held or not is still a matter of conjecture. The officers of the association will decide definitely at meeting to be held Thursday afternoon. The Washington University field meet this year will be one of the best given by the school in recent years, and the entries have filled to a surprising extent. A great deal of interest is being taken in the event by students in every department of the university, and as there are some cracks entered in all the events a great day's sport is the prospect this year. There are 15 events on the program, not including the [illegible] race, and 84 students have ent[illegible]

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing at Noon Thursday.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Philadelphia	16	11	5	.688
Cincinnati	15	9	6	.600
Brooklyn	16	9	7	.563
St. Louis	16	8	8	.500
Chicago	17	8	9	.471
Pittsburg	16	7	9	.438
New York	15	6	9	.400
Boston	15	5	10	.333

Where They Play.

Chicago at Pittsburg.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing at Noon Thursday.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Milwaukee	16	12	4	.750
Indianapolis	14	9	5	.643
Chicago	16	9	7	.563
Buffalo	14	7	7	.500
Cleveland	14	7	7	.500
Kansas City	18	8	10	.444
Minneapolis	19	7	12	.368
Detroit	15	4	11	.267

Wednesday's Games.

Kansas City 20, Detroit 6.
Milwaukee 7, Cleveland 5.
Minneapolis 10, Buffalo 3.

Where They Play.

Minneapolis at Buffalo.
Milwaukee at Cleveland.
Kansas City at Detroit.
Chicago at Indianapolis.

Friday's Schedule.

(National League.)

Boston at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.

Friday's Schedule.

(American League.)

Minneapolis at Buffalo.
Milwaukee at Cleveland.
Kansas City at Detroit.
Chicago at Indianapolis.

GOOD WORDS FROM LOFTUS.

He Picks St. Louis to Win This Year's League Pennant.

Tom Loftus, the manager of the Chicago League team, in discussing the merits of the clubs that now make up the eight-club circuit and the difficulty to pick the pennant winner, talks like this in the New York Evening World:

"It is my opinion that the St. Louis team, as it stands to-day, is a hummer and should come pretty near carrying off the bunting, though, of course, there will be several teams to reckon with, as the League is remarkably well balanced this year.

"St. Louis has more than a mere passing chance for the bunting. The team has undoubtedly been greatly strengthened, and in Cy Young the club has a pitcher that the League's mightiest batters are not fond of facing. It would prove a battle royal between the 'Terrors,' I believe you call them, and the Brooklyns when they meet this season.

"I'll tell you, it is deucedly hard to pick winners just now. Every team you look at is strong in some department the other is weak in. There is the Pittsburg team, St. Louis polished them off twice, but they are no slouches, you can bet, and are a hustling band. Then, there are the Phillies, with the only 'Del' and Lajoie, and, of course, the New Yorks and Cincinnatis, with their Seymours, Rusies, Breitensteins and Corcorans. It's a hard thing, and there may be many surprises. The bad weather is keeping the teams out of condition and from attaining form, but the season is young."

With the Amateurs.

The Atlantic Juniors defeated the Krauss Street Sluggers Sunday afternoon by a score of 10 to 9. Their line-up was: Conroy c, Fitzgibbons p, Maher 1b, Toomey 2b, McLean ss, Dino 3b, Gorham rf, Kennedy cf, Gill lf. For all games in 14 and 15 year old classes address Tom McLean, 8218 Minnesota avenue.

The Victor Reds defeated the Haases High-Grades by a score of 14 to 3, and the Kelleys by a score of 19 to 12; they would like to hear from all teams, in the 13 and 14 year old classes, the Pioneers, Kellys, Elms, or Table Queens preferred. Address P. Collas, 2001 South Jefferson avenue.

Saturday afternoon at Forest Park the H. L. Chase Bag Co. team played Bemis Bros. Bag Co. team an eight-inning game; score, 34 to 8 in favor of Bemis.

The Star Twirlers will cross bats with the Rose Buds on next Sunday, May 13. It is expected to be an exciting game, as the Star Twirlers are in fine form. They would like to hear from teams in or out of the city in the 11-year-old class. For games address A. Ubinger, 1418 North Sixteenth street.

Guaranteed bicycles, $14.75 to $18.75; sundries at equally low prices. Neustadt, 413 North Twelfth street.

STRIKE OR NO STRIKE.

FAIR GROUNDS MEETING WILL OPEN ON SATURDAY.

STARTERS IN THE INAUGURAL.

Secretary Joe Murphy Gives the List of Horses That Will Go to the Post in the Initial Stake.

The St. Louis Inaugural.

W. Overton	117	Laureate	105
Crocket	110	Lady Callahan	102
Sam McKeever	108	Thrive	101
Duke of Baden	108	Capron	96
Yellow Tail	107	Alice Turner	94
The Conqueror	105	Sidbow	89

The field for the St. Louis Inaugural, which is to usher in the Fair Grounds meeting on Saturday afternoon is narrowing down.

Secretary Joe Murphy of the St. Louis Fair Association gave the above list of probable starters to the Post-Dispatch Thursday morning.

It will be noticed that Dr. Shephard will not start. The big California horse who was thought to have such a good chance in this year's race will not be here.

Horse owners and others at the Fair Grounds are worried to death these days about the street railway strike.

They fear it will force a postponement of the St. Louis race meeting, which is set for Saturday afternoon.

They need not worry, however, as according to President Robert Aull the meeting will open rain or shine, strike or no strike.

If the strike is still on when the meeting opens Grand avenue and other thoroughfares on Saturday afternoon will look like they used to in the olden days of the St. Louis Fair, when one street car line was the only means of conveyance out there, but when every sort of vehicle was put in play to carry the crowds.

Superintendent Cunningham feels sadder than any one over the strike. The Fair Grounds racecourse and all its surroundings never looked prettier than they do now and he is sorry that every one in St. Louis cannot come out and take a peep at them on Saturday.

Everything about the place has a spick and span appearance.

The rails circling the two courses have been painted all the way around and they enclose a solid field of blue grass that looks as smooth and even as a velvet carpet.

The clubhouse has been decorated in bright colors and the grandstand has been brightened up. All the trees in the Fair Grounds proper have been shorn of their dead branches, their trunks painted a bright white and all the lawns about them have been treated to a clean shave.

The people of this or no other country have ever set eyes on a grander or more magnificent racecourse than will be shown them when the curtain goes up at the Fair Grounds on Saturday afternoon.

President Aull, Secretary Joe Murphy, Clerk of Scales John Hachmeister and all the other Fair Grounds officials are now all working like beavers on the details connected with the opening of the big track.

Mr. Murphy, who was the presiding judge at Oakland all winter, got in from California, on Wednesday. He says that nearly all the bookies who did business out there this winter will be on deck in St. Louis on the opening day. As to Yellow Tail, the California horse who will go to the post favorite in the Inaugral on Saturday, Mr. Murphy considers him a horse of great speed and stamina, and one likely to deliver the goods.

Will Darden, who, with Leoplanter and other high-class horses, spent last summer at the Fair Grounds, is there again, arriving at the big track Wednesday from the South.

The Clark Stakes, at one and one-eighth miles, will be the feature of the card at Louisville on Thursday. Lieut. Gibson, the Derby winner, will be one of the starters. The full list of entries is:

Kentucky Farmer	117	Florizar	122
Thrive	122	Lieut. Gibson	127

The feature at Morris Park Thursday is the Eatonia Highweight Handicap over the last six furlongs of the Withers mile course. The entries are:

Half Time	117	Handcuff	106
Vulcain	115	All Gold	105
Gonfalon	110	Lady Uncas	105
Mark Cheek	110	Danforth	103
Lady Lindsey	107		

Among the visitors at Churchill Downs this week was Ed Corrigan, erstwhile "Master of Hawthorne." Mr. Corrigan is now making final preparations for his invasion of England. He arrived in Chicago about a week ago with the horses which he intends to take across the water, ten in number, and they are now resting up at Hawthorne.

Mr. Corrigan is now on his way over to Lexington and the bluegrass region to have a farewell look at the yearlings which he has there. He will return to Louisville to-morrow, to see the Clark Stakes run, after which he will go to Chicago. The latter part of next week he will proceed with his horses to New York, whence he will sail for Liverpool May 28. He expects to remain in England until fall. Mr. Corrigan reports that the racing season at Ingleside was a successful one. He himself looks to have had a prosperous year of it.

FAIR ASSOCIATION DIRECTORS

Meet and Discuss the Advisability of Opening Saturday and Adjourn Without Deciding.

The directors of the St. Louis Fair Association, Messrs. Charles Clark, Charles H. Turner, Rolla Wells, W. F. Nolker, James Green, Robert Aull, A. B. Ewing, D. R. Francis, John M. Sellers, James Campbell, Charles Green and L. M. Rumsey, met in the office of Broker James Campbell in the Rialto Building at 11 o'clock Thursday morning. The meeting was for the purpose of discussing the advisability of opening the race meeting at the Fair Grounds on next Saturday. No definite action was taken and after a session of 45 minutes the meeting was adjourned. Another meeting will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock, when a definite conclusion will be arrived at.

The whole matter seems to hinge upon the possibility of the street car strike being settled by Saturday. Mr. James Campbell, before the meeting, called up President Turner of the Suburban line over the telephone and asked him how his cars were running. Mr. Turner replied that everything was running smoothly at that time, but when asked as to whether or not his line would be in operation on Saturday, replied that that was a question he could not answer, as he could not tell what the conditions would be then.

President Robert Aull of the Fair Association, when seen after the meeting, said he had nothing to give out, but that at 2 o'clock he probably would have something to say for publication.

Globe Reserves vs. Kirkwood Browns.

The Globe Reserves will cross bats with the Kirkwood Browns at Kirkwood, Sunday. The Globe Reserves are playing fast ball and as the Kirkwood Browns have not lost a game this season a fine contest may be looked for. The Globe Reserves defeated the Summerfield, Ill., team last Sunday by a score of 9 to 7.

Don't risk your life on the cars when you can get a guaranteed bicycle for $14.75 to $18.70 at Neustadt's, 413 North Twelfth.

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NO MONTE CRISTO'S WEDDING

The Children's Play to Have Been Given This Week, Potponed Till Next Because of the Strike.

One coterie of children and their grown friends will be sorely disappointed on account of the street railway strike. Because of the lack of transportation facilities the performance of the children's play, "Monte Cristo's Wedding," to have been given at the Grand Opera-house Friday and Saturday, has been postponed until next week. All arrangements had been perfected and 13 boxes had been sold.

BRIEF NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Items of Interest Condensed for the Convenience of Busy Readers of the Post-Dispatch.

Died Without a Doctor.—Mary Dublo who lived at 2241 Vine street, just outside of the city limits, died without medical attention early Thursday morning. The county authorities were notified.

Fines Its Members.—Local No. 1 of the Trunk and Bag Workers' International Union of America has adopted a resolution providing that any member caught riding on a street car while the present strike is on will be fined $2 for each such offense.

Old Soldier's Death.—George Gibson, an old negro ex-soldier, died suddenly at his home, 1518 Morgan street, Thursday morning. His daughter called him to breakfast about 6 o'clock. The old man raised himself on his arm, then fell back dead. Although his death is probably due to natural causes the coroner will investigate.

Miss Ragsdale's Recital.—At the Y. M. C. A. Hall, Grand and Franklin avenues, Wednesday evening, Miss Ervae Ragsdale gave a graduating recital to a select audience of relatives and friends. Miss Ragsdale has completed the course at the Perry School and in her renditions Wednesday evening showed herself an elocutionist of considerable merit.

ODD PRANKS BY LIGHTNING.

One Bolt Seeks Out Many Parts of a Whitehall Home.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WHITEHALL, Ill., May 10.—During an electrical storm last night the residence of Henley Wilkinson, a nurseryman on West Franklin street, was struck by lightning, prostrating Miss Tillie Wilkinson and Mrs. Stella Lynch and their mother. Other members of the family were badly shaken up. The current entered on a wire, and broke one of the liquid jars in the telephone, and a part of it passed down about three feet, then through a double wall from the hall, where the 'phone is located, to the sitting room. The concussion in this room was so great that plastering was cracked on the side walls and on the ceiling. The main portion of the current returned to the front of the hall. At a point where the wire makes an upward turn the current left it and again divided, passing in part down the jams of the door, throwing splinters 20 feet back in the hall. Another branch of the current crossed over between the transom and the top of the door, then down. The jams of the door are splintered on the outside of the house, as are also two of the telephone poles adjacent to the house, which indicate that they carried a portion of the current to the earth, probably thus saving the house and family from destruction. The current was too heavy for so light a wire, and a part of it was dumped at each available point. No ground wires were in use in the house or on the poles near by.

JOLIET STRIKE AT AN END.

Contractors of the City Declare They Have Won a Victory.

JOLIET, Ill., May 10.—The building trades' strike at Joliet, inaugurated April 1, has been officially ended. The union carpenters, who were the last to hold out, have declared the strike off and are ready to return to work. The bricklayers, stonemasons, painters, plumbers and tinners came to terms some time ago. The conclusion of the strike is declared a victory for the contractors. The strike affected between 600 and 800 men and stopped all the building operations in Joliet for several weeks.

SHIPS COLLIDE IN A FOG.

All the Passengers and Crew of the Iolani Are Saved.

ASTORIA, Ore., May 10.—The British ship Argus (Capt. Hunter) in ballast, from Port Angeles to Portland, just arrived at quarantine, collided with and sank the Hawaiian ship Iolani, sugar laden, bound from Hilo to San Francisco, in a dense fog the night of May 3 off San Francisco. The crew, numbering 15 and four passengers on the Iolani, were rescued by the Argus, which was not badly damaged.

BURIAL PERMITS.

A. C. Lambert, 3, 1408 Stewart pl.; tuberculosis.
M. Bowring, 50, 4102 Papin; diabetes.
H. Jackson, 28, 2617 Chestnut; heart disease.
G. R. Folks, 5, 4212 Pleasant; bronchitis.
M. Payne, 5 days, 4421 Laclede; cyanosis.
H. Pohl, 68, 2304 Palm; pneumonia.
C. Everson (colored), 15, 1430 N. 8th; accident.
B. K. Allen, 81, Missouri Pacific Hospital; heart disease.
J. Nettles, 29, jailyard; hanging.
E. Berry, 24, 123 W. Koeln; congestion of lungs.
E. Dippe, 2, 2230 Cushman; pneumonia.
C. Horn, 2, Victor and Gravois; nephritis.
T. W. Singin, 64, 2722 Thomas; pneumonia.
C. Meiss, 34, 9th and Washington; heart disease.
L. Reil (colored), 40, Female Hospital; consumption.
F. Rauschen, 63, 3507 N. 9th; cancer of liver.
N. Nelson, 28, 1430 N. 8th; accident.

Wielandy—Whoberly.

Mr. Frank H. Wielandy of St. Louis was married at noon Wednesday in Mound City, Mo., to Miss Nell Whoberly, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. D. C. Smith at the residence of the bride's mother. The young couple are at present enjoying a Western tour, but later they will come to St. Louis to reside.

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JEFFRIES-CORBETT FIGHT Friday night will be announced round by round by direct wire during performance NOBODY'S CLAIM.
Sunday Matinee—May Wheeler as Sapho.

STANDARD
The Home of Folly—Two Frolics Daily.
LITTLE EGYPT BURLESQUE CO.
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ODEON—FRIDAY, MAY 18, Grand Concert.
HAMBOURG, Pianist; PETSCHNIKOFF, Violinist, and LACHAUME, Accompanist
Ticket sale, Bollman's, Monday, May 14.
Prices, boxes, $9.00; parquet, $1.00; balcony, 75c and 50c.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
—THE—
Golden Jubilee Celebration of the St. Louis Turnverein,
Which was to begin to-day,
HAS BEEN POSTPONED
on account of the strike.
Date will be announced later.

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BAKER—Wanted, position as first hand baker on bread and rolls; reference. 2924 Stoddard st.

BARTENDER—Wanted, by industrious, reliable married man, position as assistant bartender and porter; some experience in grocery; refs. given. Ad. O 63, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Sit. wanted by German boy, 18 years old, to learn some useful trade, with board; small weekly pay. Ad. L 133, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Of 15, acquainted with farm life, would like to have good home on farm; reasonable. 1416 Pine st.

BOY—Boy wishes place to work for room and board or other work. Ad. B 67, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Sit. wanted by good, reliable country boy of 18 years to do any kind of work, in or out of town. Call 3123 Clark av.

BOY—Of 17 would like sit.; can speak both English and German; can give best of references. Ad. G 70, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Sit. wanted by a bright boy of 18, to drive wagon. Address L 70, Post-Dispatch.

COLLECTOR—Sit. wanted by first-class collector and salesman; either in city or travelling; 9 years' experience; unquestionable references and bond given. Address M 67, Post-Dispatch.

ENGINEER—Sit. wanted by a good licensed engineer and electrician; am willing to work and the best of references; can do my own repairing; city or country. Ad. M 66, Post-Dispatch.

ENGINEER—Sit. wanted by practical allround licensed engineer; run dynamos, hydraulic elevators; do my own repairing. Ad. G 62, Post-Dispatch.

ENGINEER—Sit. wanted by electrical engineer; night or day; will do own firing. Address Engineer, 1920 Franklin av.

HOUSEMAN—Houseman wants position; experienced middle-aged white man; allround man; best city references. Ad. E 170, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEMAN—Sit. by colored man; good houseman; can do anything in house, hotel or private. 326 Montrose av.

JOB PRINTER—Sit. wanted by first-class allround job printer. Ad. C 70, Post-Dispatch.

MACHINIST—Wanted, sit. by machinist of experience in shop and factory work; posted in all class of machinery and general repair work; experienced in handling men; best of references. Ad. F 61, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by steady, sober man; willing to work at anything; would like to drive wagon. Ad. D 68, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Stout single man, German born, wishes sit.; fair education; not afraid to work. Ad. Y 61, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by sober, steady man, on private place; tend horse, cows or drive delivery. Ad. W 62, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sober, industrious man wants position as private watchman, clerk in grocery, assistant bartender or taking care of horses; private place. Ad. F 70, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young married man of good address and appearance, wants position of some kind; will start on small wages; best references. Ad. D 70, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—Sits. wanted by colored man and wife; good cook and good houseman; willing to work at reasonable price. 4108 Laclede av.

MAN—Sit. wanted as bookkeeper or clerk, by young man of ability; 3 years' experience; best references; moderate wages. Ad. T 67, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Wanted, position by young man, single, as clothing or dry goods salesman; last employer was J. W. Wanamaker, clothing department, New York; must have employment at once; first-class references. Ad. W 66, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man in grocery; have had 5 years' experience; first-class references. Ad. B 70, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by first-class house and yardman and coachman; best of references given. Ad. T 63, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—Man and wife want sits.; can fill any place; would leave city; no children. Ad. G 67, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Strong young man of good appearance, educated and willing to work, desires work with private family. Ad. F 67, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Position wanted by young man; experienced clothing and dry goods salesman, shipping clerk or stockkeeper; wholesale or retail. Ad. K 67, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by married German man; any kind of work; sober and steady; don't want high wages. Ad. M 62, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Middle-aged man desires sit. as porter or housework; understands cooking; not afraid of work. Ad. N 63, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Sit. wanted by A1 salesman with good reference. Ad. R 67, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Sit. wanted by salesman well acquainted with grocer and saloon trade in North End, also in Venice, Madison, Granite City; employed at present. Ad. T 66, Post-Dispatch.

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YOUNG MAN—Situation wanted by sober, industrious young man; business experience; has good reference. Ad. J. H., 714 N. 11th st.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

BAKER WANTED—Reliable steady 3d hand; also 1st-class confectioner, at bakery, 937 Goodfellow.

BAKER WANTED—A clean, sober baker as second hand. 3202 Laclede av.

BAKER WANTED—Good baker on bread and cakes. 2343 Chouteau av.

BAKER WANTED—Freund's Bakery, 913 Soulard st.

BAKER WANTED—Good allround baker. 313 Collinsville av., East St. Louis, Ill.

BARBER WANTED—Regular; $10 guaranteed; hours, 7 to 8. 206 N. 8th st.

BARBER WANTED—At once; steady job. 809 S. Broadway.

BARBER WANTED—Good barber, for Saturday and Sunday; wages guaranteed; shave 10c. 1233 N. Broadway.

BARBER WANTED—Barber, with one or two years' experience. 3303 Lemp av.

BARBER WANTED—Barber; at once; steady position. 6086 Maple av.

BARBER WANTED—Good barber to take charge shop. 603 S. 2d st.; location good. Call corner grocery.

BARBER WANTED—First-class barber; steady job. 4117 Prairie av.

BARBER WANTED—Saturday and Sunday. 1806 Cass av.

BARBER WANTED—Barber. Northwest corner 18th and Market.

BLACKSMITH WANTED—Blacksmith worker, for heavy work; apply between 5 and 6 a. m. 1424 N. Jefferson av.

BOOTBLACK WANTED—Apply 702 Chouteau av.

BOOTBLACK WANTED—Colored bootblack; at once. Inquire Olive Shoe Shining Parlor, 508 Olive st., basement.

BOY WANTED—Boy, with 2 years' experience in drug store. 8th and Franklin.

BOY WANTED—Small boy. 1921 Franklin, 3d floor, rear.

BOY WANTED—German boy or young man to work in drug store; with some experience. 2401 N. Vandeventer av.

BOY WANTED—Boy or young man with some experience in drug store, at 4420 Easton av.

BOY WANTED—Stout boy about 20 years old to pack bottled goods. 310 S. 8th st.

BOY WANTED—Good boy, for doctor's office; references required. 1724 Chouteau.

BOY WANTED—14 or 15-year-old boy as helper on a bread wagon. 913 Soulard st.

BOY WANTED—An intelligent boy, to feed press and learn printers' trade. Smith, 105 S. 7th st.

BOY WANTED—Boy who knows how to cut meat and lives in North St. Louis. 1000 Chambers st.

BOY WANTED—Boy to feed press; must kick. Thornton, 21 N. 8th st.

BOYS WANTED—Boys, to set and pull tacks; boy to trim seams, boy to operate stitch separator; only experienced boys need apply. Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., 10th and Washington av.

BOYS WANTED—3 boys, ages 12 to 15, in shoe factory; call between 8 and 9 Thursday morning. Room 23, 3d floor, 601 N. 3d st.

CARPENTERS WANTED—Carpenters and car builders for freight car work. Apply American Car and Foundry Co., 2800 De Kalb st.

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HALF RATES to city students for limited time. Draughon's Practical Business College, Emilie bldg., cor. 9th and Olive.

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DRUG CLERK WANTED—Drug clerk; registered; must speak German. Apply 10th and Cass av.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Married drug clerk; must live over store. Call. 2601 N. Taylor av.

HOUSEBOY WANTED—Houseboy, to wait on table; 17 or 18 years old. 3112 Laclede.

HOUSEBOY WANTED—Colored boy of 17 or 18 to work around house; small wages and board. 3019 Chestnut st.

HOUSE PAINTER WANTED—Must be quick with brush. Ad. D 232, Post-Dispatch.

IRON WORKERS WANTED—Ornamental wrought iron workers. Apply 1452 S. 2d st.

LASTER WANTED—To pull over on men's work. Home-Made Shoe Co., 1520 N. 13th st.

MAN WANTED—Experienced man for dining room and housework; white or colored. 3934 Page av.

MAN WANTED—With $200, to travel; easy job; big money. S., Merchants' Hotel, St. Louis.

MAN WANTED—Man, for housework. 1424 Locust st.

MAN WANTED—Young man for dining room work. 2339 Franklin av.

MAN WANTED—Young man for bartender, who can mix drinks, mop up and make himself useful; wages $6 per week. Ad. H 67, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—A young man, with experience in grocery and meat market. 1012 N. Broadway.

MAN WANTED—Man or boy, that can work at carriage painting. 4965 Easton av.

MAN WANTED—Man, to carry banner. Call at 2700 Lucas av., between 5 and 6 p. m.

MAN WANTED—A first-class tenon machine hand. Apply 1520 Market st.

MAN WANTED—An experienced man, to make plain and fancy clay pipes; one who can take charge of factory. Address K 70, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—Experienced man to take care of three horses. Rear of stable, 3313 Washington.

MAN WANTED—An experienced man dinner waiter; at once. 1402 N. Broadway.

MANAGER WANTED—Mine manager, holding Illinois certificate; capable of handling large mine; state salary. Ad. G 53, Post-Dispatch.

MEN WANTED—20 men on Vandeventer and Vista avs.; $1.75 a day. Carroll Contracting Co.

MEN WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; we teach you the work in two months, donate complete outfit of tools, pay wages Saturday from start and guarantee $12 weekly when competent; special arrangements made for applicants from distance. Write to-day. Moler College, 1141 Market st.

MEN WANTED—Concert every evening, at 111 N. 6th st. Wm. Vogal.

MEN WANTED—To try Harris' box calf shoes, $2.95. Harris, $4 Shoe Man, 520 Pine st.

MEN WANTED—10 men, on 4th, between Olive and Locust sts.; $1.75 a day. Carroll Contracting Co.

MEN WANTED—5 men for brick yard. Apply 501 Benoist Bldg., 9th and Pine sts.

MEN WANTED—At once, men familiar with pipe organ work; good wages and steady employment. Address Henry Pilcher's Sons, Louisville, Ky.

MEN WANTED—Bench and machine men. Sparta Planing Mill, Sparta, Ill.

MEN WANTED—To stop at Grace Hotel, 414 Market st.; rooms 25c a day, $1.50 per week and up.

MILKERS WANTED—Meramec Highlands Dairy wants good experienced milkers. Apply at dairy.

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PAINTERS WANTED—Painters. 2912 Salena st.

PAINTERS WANTED—Two carriage painters. P. J. Cooney Mfg. Co., 900 Cass av.

PAINTER WANTED—At 4463 Lindell bl.

PAPER HANGERS WANTED—Five paper hangers. Beelman & Grawe, 507 N. 4th st.

PAPER HANGERS WANTED—At once. 421 S. Jefferson av.

PAPER HANGERS WANTED—Paper hangers. Call at 1901 Park av.

PAPER HANGERS WANTED—Tools and scaffolding will be hauled to and from work. Apply E. T. Ahearn, 1807 Cass av.

PAPER HANGERS WANTED—Paper hangers; plenty of work; tools delivered. H. Westhus, 2001 S. Broadway.

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PHOTOGRAPHER WANTED—Good view operator; also man to call out. Bull, 2612 Gamble st.

PORTER WANTED—Porter; colored; used to hotel work. Call at Mona House, 209½ N. 6th st.

PORTER WANTED—A good porter. Inquire 2801 N. Grand av.

PRESSER WANTED—Presser. St. Louis Cleaning and Pressing Co., s. e. cor. 8th and Olive.

PRIVATE diseases a specialty at Franklin Avenue Free Dispensary, 1214 Franklin av.

PORTER WANTED—A porter. 1422 Chouteau av.

PORTER WANTED—Assistant porter, colored, for large establishment in business center; one who understands trucking preferred; must be neat, strong and willing and give good references as to honesty and sobriety. Ad. R 61, Post-Dispatch.

SHINGLERS WANTED—3 1st-class shinglers. Apply 1918 Franklin.

SHOEFITTER WANTED—A first-class custom shoefitter. McNamara Shoe & Last Co., 206 N. 6th st.

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STOVE MOUNTERS WANTED—Four good stove mounters; good wages; no strike. Ad. H. Wetter Mfg. Co., Memphis, Tenn.

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TURNER WANTED—Wood turner. St. Louis Sash and Door Works, 2d and Dock sts.

TRIMMING CUTTER WANTED—Home-Made Shoe Co., 1520 N. 13th st.

UPHOLSTERER WANTED—An upholsterer. Hartshorn Bros., Fort Worth, Tex.

UPHOLSTERERS WANTED—Upholsterers; ready to go to work; steady. 1414 N. Grand.

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WHITENERS WANTED—614 N. 11th st. A Norton.

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SALESMEN WANTED.

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SALESMAN WANTED—Salesman to sell our full line of choice nursery stock; we give a printed guarantee that stock will be true to name. Write to Mount Hope Nurseries, Lawrence, Kan.

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SALESMEN WANTED—Pay weekly; outfit free; new specialties. Lawrence Nursery Co., Lawrence, Kan.

RARE OPPORTUNITY FOR AN AMBITIOUS SALESMAN.

We want a bright, energetic and successful man to handle our line of proprietary medicines in Indiana, and offer an opportunity for the right man to not only earn a satisfactory income at once, but to build up a competency for the future. Address, giving age, experience and references,

BEGGS MFG. CO.,
Chicago, Ill.

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14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

SOLICITORS WANTED—We pay $20 a week and expenses to men with rigs to introduce our poultry medicine and lice exterminator; inclose stamp. American Poultry Medicine Co., Parsons, Kan.

SOLICITORS WANTED—Good advertising solicitors. Room 806 Arlington Bldg., 810 Olive st.

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A BIG offer to lady canvassers; big commissions paid. Call after 4 o'clock. Genelli, 923 Olive.

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PARTNERS WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

PARTNER WANTED—Partner, with $5000, to invest in established business; all communications treated confidentially. Ad. E 70, Post-Dispatch.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

BOOKKEEPER—Wanted, position by widow, experienced d. e. bookkeeper, auditor, correspondent, cashier, collector, drummer, saleswoman, demonstrator; references. Ad. C 62, Post-Dispatch.

CHAMBERMAID—Sit. wanted as chambermaid or housegirl. 4220 North Market st.

COOK—Sit. wanted by experienced cook; in private family; no objection to country; good references. 912 N. Leonard.

COOK AND HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by 2 sisters as cook and housegirl. Call 2934 Gamble st.

DRESSMAKER—First-class dressmaker desires a few more engagements in families. Ad. M 70, Post-Dispatch.

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HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, housework, by neat, reliable lady, in small family; good plain cook and bread baker; no laundry; will work for board; details on application. Ad. O 64, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by young girl for light housework. 2706 Adams st.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by coolred girl to do general housework. 4063 Fairfax av., upstairs.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by girl of 15 years, to do light housework. 5334 Pattison.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, position by widow; careful of house, children and in work; lessons, music, cooking; no washing; references. Ad. C 62, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by woman as housekeeper for widower; no objection to children. 1811 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by young woman in plain family at general housework or to assist; no washing. Call 2 days, 916 N. 15th st.

HOUSEGIRL—Colored girl wants sit. to do general housework; small family; no washing or ironing. Call at 2316 Franklin. L. Robinson.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by white woman as housekeeper. 2338 Market st., third floor.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. as housekeeper by refined widow, to take care of home for widower; no objection to children; reliable. 1604 N. Jefferson.

LADY—Lady wishes position to wait on lunch counter. Call at 1028 Cass av.

LADY—Sit. wanted by neat lady; is a good cook; will attend downstairs work; no washing or ironing; please call. 2317 Carr st.

LADY—Young lady desires position in office; has knowledge of bookkeeping and cashiering; first-class references. Ad. F 107, Post-Dispatch.

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LAUNDRESS—Woman wants work by the day; washing, house cleaning or any kind of work. 4004 Lucky st.

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COOK WANTED—For small restaurant. Dr. Butts, 1503 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—Cook, on short order and dinner. 1626 Market st.

COOK WANTED—First-class cook; good wages. 4119 Westminster pl.

COOK WANTED—Girl for cooking and to assist in general housework; family of four. 4235 Lindell av.

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GIRL WANTED—Machine girl, on custom pants; one that can do hand sewing. Apply 805 Chestnut st., room 23.

GIRL WANTED—Girl, to cook, wash and iron; colored or white. 4100 West Pine.

GIRL WANTED—A girl to work in dining room. 1402 N. Broadway.

GIRL WANTED—To help in linen room. Apply Hotel Beers.

GIRLS WANTED—To fell sleeve linings, sew buttons on shop coats; good wages paid and steady employment; at once. 919 Morgan st.

GIRLS WANTED—Two girl assistants in dining room and kitchen. 1507 Locust st.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. 2326 Albion pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do general housework in small family. 4462 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 3170 Pottis av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A housegirl with good references, for small family. Call 3835 Windsor pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl of 15 years for light housework; or older girl, general housework; go home nights. 2905 N. Grand av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework in small family; no children. 3588 Shenandoah av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4148 Morgan st.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework. 1119 Biddle st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do general housework. 2744 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; small family; good pay. 2716 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German girl for general housework; two in family. 3649 West Pine bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Housegirl, 15 to 16 years old; assist general housework; pleasant home; no cooking. 1308A Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good German girl for general housework and cooking; good wages. 26 Nicholson pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Steady colored woman for general housework. 4062 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4223 Page av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3637 Finney av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young girl to do general housework; good wages. 3521 Lindell.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 4204 Page av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework. 1032 Morrison av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework. 3045 Thomas st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; call at once. 3524 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; no washing. 4008 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A neat colored girl for light upstairs work; no washing or ironing; must have best of reference. Apply 114 N. 9th st., in store.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing; good wages. 4813 Fountain.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. 3039 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no outside work. 4129 Morgan.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good house and dining room girl. 3821 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; one who can go home nights. 4114 Page av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good German girl for general work in small family. 4205 Page av.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Small girl to assist with housework. 4375 Page av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4346 West Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2001 California av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; flat; family of three. 4268 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good German girl for housework; no washing or ironing. 1807A Morgan.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework. 3709 N. 9th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good German girl for general housework. 1531 S. 11th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German girl for general housework, at 926 La Salle st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework, in family of two. 5217 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Colored girl or man for general housework; no washing. 423 N. Taylor av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3320 Chestnut st.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Woman for general housework. 4405 St. Louis av.

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FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

HOUSE—During the summer, to responsible party, furnished 8-room house; Washington, between Newstead and Taylor avs. Ad. E 67, Post-Dispatch.

LEONARD AV., 617 (near Washington av.)—Completely furnished house; gas stove, screens; June to October.

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MERCHANTS' HOTEL—Olive and 12th sts.—Cheapest and most convenient house in city; call and get prices.

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ABBE AV., 6820—Also 3123A Henrietta; near Compton; 3 neat rooms, $8.50 to small family.

CLARK AV., 2732—Nice 4-room flat; water and gas; $13 to small family.

EASTON AV., 5964—Second floor; five rooms and bath; hot and cold water and laundry.

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FOLSOM AV., 3861—New five-room flat; rent $17. Apply Brennan, Elliot and Case.

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BUILDING WANTED—To rent, store building, suitable for general dry goods and shoe stock; in some town in Indiana or Illinois, where there is a good opening for such store; rent must be reasonable. Ad. R 66, Post-Dispatch.

LOST AND FOUND.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

Lost.

BILL HOLDER—Lost, black Antikamnia bill holder, with money. Return to 2219 Wash and receive reward.

DIAMOND STUD—Lost, diamond stud, about 1¼ karats; Saturday night; liberal reward and no questions if returned to 5825 Bartmer av.

DOG—Lost, Tuesday afternoon, from 2845 Lafayette av., Italian greyhound; color, orange and white; answers to the name of Pompey; license No. 387. Return to above number and receive reward.

DOG—Lost, a Mexican dog. Return to 4575 Evans av. and receive reward.

DOG—Lost, fox terrier dog; black ears; piece out of right ear. 1820 Goode av.; reward.

DOG—Lost, St. Bernard dog; old license on collar; reward. 4370 St. Louis av.

HANDKERCHIEF—Lost, lace handkerchief, between Leland Miller's and Columbia Theater, last Saturday afternoon. Return to 1835 Chouteau av.

HANDBAG—Lost, small handbag containing spectacles, thimble, box of jewelry, of no value but to owner. Please return to 5953 West Belle pl. and receive reward.

RING—Lost, plain gold ring, Moser Hotel toilet rooms, basement. Reward, 1616 Chemical bldg.; heirloom.

UMBRELLA—Lost, a green silk umbrella, on wagon, 6th and Locust to Grand and Finney, Tuesday evening. Return to or notify 2448 N. Grand av.; reward.

Found.

COLLAR—Found, dog collar and license; call at shoe shop, 3555 Olive st.

FOUND—Where you can get a double sole, box calf shoe, $2.95. Harris, 520 Pine st.

PURSE—Found, on 18th st., lady's purse containing keys and other articles. Apply 1524½ Mississippi.

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MRS. DAVENPORT, clairvoyant, palmist; advice on business, speculation, love, matrimony; reunites the separated, reveals everything; predictions are infallible. 2126 Olive st.

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PARTIES declining housekeeping see us before selling your furniture, pianos, carpets, etc., to highest bidder; cash advanced; auction rooms. R. U. LEONORI, JR., & CO., 1219-21 Olive st.

PARTIES declining housekeeping see me before selling your furniture, pianos, carpets, office fixtures or contents of residences and flats; will pay highest price. Wolf, 18 S. 11th; phone, C 465.

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FOR SALE—200 misfit carpets, Brussels and velvet rugs, 3-ply ingrain, Brussels and velvet, $2 up; 50 bedroom sets, sideboards, wardrobes; all kinds of household articles will be sold at your own price. 1017 Franklin av.

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FURNITURE—Furniture, 2d-hand stoves, carpets; for sale cheap. N. Y. Storage Co., 22d and Wash.

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At 10:30 A. M., Friday, May 11th.

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6 large Paintings.
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1 Rattan Sofa.
2 sets Encyclopedia Brittanica, new.
Lot other Books, fiction, history, etc.
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PERSONAL—Tall man, dark eyes, light Alpine, middle-aged, Thursday, at 12:20, noticed tall brunette, sailor hat, with blonde, address T 70, Post-Dispatch.

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BUTCHER SHOP—For sale, cheap, butcher shop; fixtures new. 5344 Florissant av.

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PASTURAGE—Best bluegrass pasture for stock; 3 pastures; send postal to L. Dehart, Wellston.

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THE MARKETS.

MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, May 10.

Unexpected strength was seen in corn to-day, being the only interesting feature of the early market.

All cereals opened lower in sympathy with weak cables. Later better prices came on a fair demand being developed. For a turn the range was wider than that noticeable of late, but soon interest fell off, and with this futures narrowed.

First change favored the bears; later the bulls gained temporary control of the market, but neither side during their brief manipulations of the futures gained much in position. It was a mixed market throughout.

The unexpected strength of corn was one stimulating influence, which early made itself felt. Wheat affected by the bull attacks upon the coarse grain showed more of a disposition to advance and seemingly was only held down by the weight of the grain itself.

The main discouraging item was the lack of demand. This was not so noticeable in the very early stages of the market, but later it seemed an impossibility to draw out trade and get bids. The offered prices were more plentiful, but did not meet with the approval of the pit, consequently the quiet market.

Reports of the condition of the growing grain were scarce and what were received largely bearish in tendency. This makes the bull advances more of a mystery. There really was little on which to give futures, even a shade advance, but every little bull fact seemed to be taken advantage of and the range steadied.

The Price Current, in its weekly report, is bearish. It says that the condition of wheat is practically unchanged, and as a rule favorable. Chinch bugs are reported in Kansas.

This pest has long been expected, but up to date few localities have reported the insect at work. Earlier in the season the Hessian fly did great damage in Ohio and Indiana. This bug may now complete what the other insects started so well, the total destruction of the crop. It is a little too early to make predictions yet, but it is safe to say that other sections besides Kansas will report the chinchbug, and it is altogether probable that the estimated crop will be greatly reduced.

May did not open till late, while July sold at 67⅛c, then at 67¼@67⅛c.

Receipts of wheat at St. Louis to-day were 15,184 bu, compared with 9196 bu same date last year. Of these 1415 sks and 16 cars were local, compared with 354 sks and 12 cars same date last year.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day were 281 cars, compared with 190 cars same date last year.

In the Northwest receipts continue quite steady. The postings change little from day to day. Farmers are evidently fairly willing to dispose of their grain.

Receipts of wheat at primary points to-day were 525,704 bu, compared with 325,000 bu same date last year.

Shipments, 719,421 bu, compared with 300,000 bu same date last year.

That there is some demand for the coarse grain was shown to-day by opening advances in the face of weak cables. Foreign markets, influenced by the close yesterday, sagged decidedly to-day.

Corn opened in Liverpool ⅝d below yesterday's close. Ordinarily this would have meant a drop of ⅜c or ½c on this side. This was not the case; the opening was only ⅛@⅜c down, but this was of the most temporary character. Soon some demand was shown, and with the development of this futures grew strong.

May corn was offered at 37½c. July opened at 37⅜c and then began to jump. It went to 37½c, but fell back to 37⅜c, after which it rose to 37¾c, and then to 38c.

At Chicago yesterday eight loads of corn were taken by the lakes. This would be about 1,000,000 bushels.

Receipts of corn at St. Louis to-day were 36,000 bu, compared with 29,625 bu same date last year. Of these 26 cars were local, compared with 150 sacks and 12 cars same date last year.

Receipts of corn at primary points to-day were 388,158 bu, as compared with 379,000 bu same date last year.

Shipments, 343,149 bu, compared with 780,000 bu same date last year.

Oats opened earlier than usual to-day, but later did little. Demand was not above the average and as a rule the pit was not inclined to trade heavily.

July opened at 22½c.

Receipts of oats at St. Louis to-day were 39,600 bu, compared with 45,600 bu same date last year. Of these 33 cars were local, compared with 37 cars same date last year.

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	To-day.	Yes'day.	Year Ago
Wheat	354,843	357,843	350,575
Corn	439,125	483,615	57,045
Oats	94,640	92,199	61,898
Rye	4,487	4,487	676
Barley			2,193
No. 2 red wheat	185,411	187,420	58,906
No. 2 hard	33,296	34,206	100,236
No. 2 mixed corn	236,268	236,759	29,401
No. 2 white	121,177	171,177	9,462
No. 2 mixed oats	84,078	84,078	1,590
No. 2 white			19,509
No. 2 rye	3,037	3,037	

Export Movements of Grain.

PLACE.	Wheat. Rec.	Wheat. Ship.	Corn. Rec.	Corn. Ship.
New York	172,050	23,987	169,528	2,824
Baltimore	4,400		94,205	102,857
Phila	21,266	1,597	46,573	107,611
Boston	33,066		55,553	
Galveston	22,736	169,000	1,200	
New. News		24,000		218,657

Export Flour Movement.

PLACE.	Receipts. Barrels.	Receipts. Sacks.	Shipments. Barrels.	Shipments. Sacks.
New York	8,598	22,140	11,098	1,768
Baltimore	3,520		191	
Phila			12,000	
Boston	3,350			
New. News				6,500

Western Movements of Grain.

PLACE.	Wheat. Rec.	Wheat. Ship.	Corn. Rec.	Corn. Ship.
St. Louis	15,184	14,330	36,000	21,845
Chicago	110,050	23,919	228,482	238,454
Toledo	9,550	9,000	50,000	54,000
Detroit	9,000	214	3,000	
Kansas City	44,800	39,800	31,500	22,400
Milwaukee	17,500		21,250	1,700
Minneapolis	187,110	42,120	7,290	4,750
Duluth	132,510	599,038	16,636	

Western Flour Movement.

	Receipts.	Ship'ts.
St. Louis	4,240	4,652
Chicago	16,438	5,716
Detroit	200	600
Milwaukee	5,775	2,775
Minneapolis		55,731

Sample Market Prices.

	To-day.	Yesterday.	Year Ago.
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red	71 @72½	72	75 @76
No. 3 red	71	71	73 @74
No. 4 red	68	68	65 @72
No. 2 hard	65	65	67½@69
No. 3 hard	64	64	65 @66
No. 2 spring	66	66	68 @69
No. 3 spring	64	64	65 @66
CORN.			
No. 2 mixed	39	39	34¼@34½
No. 2 white	39½	39	36
No. 3 mixed	38½	38½	32¼@33½
No. 3 white	38½	38½	
No. 2 yellow	39	39	
No. 4 white	38½	38½	
OATS.			
No. 2 mixed	25	25	28
No. 2 Northern	25	25	28¼@28½
No. 2 white	27 @27½	27	29¾@30½
No. 3 white	26 @27½	26	28½@29¾
No. 4 white	24	24½	28
No. 3 mixed	23½	24½	27
No. 4 mixed	23	23	25½@26¾

Future Prices.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
Sept	67⅜ b	67⅝@67¾		67⅝@67¾
May	70 b			70½b
July	67¼@67⅜	67¼	67	67 @67¼b
CORN.				
May	37⅝a			37⅞n
July	37⅝@37¾b	38	37⅜	37¾@37⅞b
OATS.				
May	24 b			24 b
July	22½@22⅝	22½		22½@22⅝a

Chicago Markets.

	Closing Yest'day.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
May	65½	65½	65⅜	65½a
July	67⅛	67 @67⅛	66⅞	67 a
CORN.				
May	37¾@37⅞	38	37½	37¾b
July	35⅝@35¾	39½	38¼	38⅞@39 a
OATS.				
May	22⅝	22⅝@22¾	22⅝	22⅝a
July	22¾	22⅝@22⅞	22½@22⅞	22¾
PORK.				
July	$11.65	$11.82	$11.60	$11.65
LARD.				
July	6.87	6.97	6.87	6.87 b
RIBS.				
July	6.60@62	6.67	6.57	6.57 b

Chicago Close.

CHICAGO, May 10.—Wheat—May, 65½c a; July, 67c a. Corn—May, 37⅞c b; July, 38⅞@39c a. Oats—May, 22⅝c a; June, 22⅝c b; July, 22¾c.

Flax—Southwest, $1.80; Northwest, $1.80; May, $1.80; Sept., $1.25.

RYE.

No. 2, 55c.

HAY.

Receipts—Local, 455 tons; through, 60 tons; shipments, 294 tons. Market firm; receipts large; choice timothy, $13@13.50; No. 1, $12@12.50; No. 2, $10.50@11.50.

Clover—No. 1, $11@11.50; other grades firm, selling from $8@11; clover, mixed, from $8@11, owing to color and amount of mixture.

Prairie—No. 1, $8.50@9; No. 2, $7.50@8.

STRAW—Wheat, $5; rye, $7.50.

BRAN—Sacked, 73c; East Side, 73@74c; this side at the mill.

CASTOR BEANS—Steady at $1.12 per bu for prime.

FLOUR.

Patents	$3 50@3 60
Straights	3 10@3 20
Clears	2 50@2 90
Low and medium grades	2 00@2 80
Extreme low grades, in jute	1 70@1 80
Pearl meal, hominy and grits	2 30
Cornmeal	1 95@2 00

GRASS SEEDS—German millet at $1.40; Hungarian at 65c; new timothy at $2.30; grade prime more; redtop—chaff at 30c; poorly cleaned original seed at 4@7c.

FLAXSEED—Nominally $1.77.

PROVISIONS.

LARD—Choice, $6.85; prime, $6.80.

PORK—New, $12.50; old, $12.

DRY SALT—Shoulders, 6½c; extra short, 6¾c; clear ribs, 6¾c; clear sides, 7c.

BACON—On orders, boxed lots—Shoulders, 7c; extra short, 7¼c; clear ribs, 7⅜c; clear sides, 7½c.

BEEF—Mess, $9 per bbl.; Fulton, $10.

SUGAR CURED HAMS—10½@11¼c.

GREASE—Packers stock—yellow, 4¾c; white, 5¼c.

Lead and Spelter.

LEAD—$4.25@4.30.

SPELTER—$4.55.

ON THE STREET.

FRUITS.

APPLES—Market active; good demand for choice fruit, Ben Davis, $3@4; Willowtwig, $4.50@5; Winesap, $3.75; genitings, $1.75 for No. 2 and $3@3.50 for choice.

LEMONS—New Messina, $3.50@4.

ORANGES—California navels, $3.75@4; seedlings, $2.85@2.90; Tangerines, $2.25.

BANANAS—Port Limon, $1.25@1.75.

COCOANUTS—$25 per 1000, or $3 per 100.

STRAWBERRIES—Arkansas, $1.50@1.75 per 6-gallon crate; Mississippi, $1.25.

BLACKBERRIES—Texas, $1.50@2 per 6-gallon case.

CALIFORNIA PEARS—$2.50@2.75 per 40-lb box.

PINEAPPLES—Havana, $1.75@3.00 per dozen.

MALAGA GRAPES—$10 per bbl.

LIMES—Jamaica, $1.25@1.50 per 100.

DRIED FRUITS—Prices low and demand poor. Evaporated rings average receipts, 4@5c; skins, ½@¾c; sun-dried apples, 3@4c for fair to choice.

CHERRIES—$1.75 per 10-lb box.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Burbank, 30@33c; Michigan Rural, 35@36c; Rural, 28@30c.

NEW POTATOES—Receipts increasing; Triumphs at $4.75 per bbl; New Orleans, $4@4.50 per bbl.

NEW ONIONS—New Orleans supplying the demand at $1.40@1.50 per sack.

PARSLEY—Consignments not wanted.

PARSNIPS—Northern at $1 per barrel. Home-grown on orders at $1.25 per barrel.

HORSERADISH—Choice home-grown at 7c per lb on orders.

MUSHROOMS—40c to 50c per pound for cultivated; 50@75c per ½-bu basket for wild.

SWEET POTATOES—Quiet. Home-grown eating sell on orders at $3.50@3.75 per barrel for red and yellow; $3@3.25 for Bermuda.

SAUERKRAUT—Wisconsin at $1.65 per half-barrel, $3.40 per barrel. Small orders higher.

ONIONS—Red Globe, 65c.

CABBAGE—New Orleans and Mobile offerings in bad condition at $1@2 per crate; no Texas.

CUCUMBERS—Steady; fair demand for choice. New Orleans, 50@60c per dozen—small and culls dull at less.

TOMATOES—Florida in fair demand and firm. Sales at from $3.50 for choice to $4 for fancy per 6-basket crate; culls and inferior nominally less.

LETTUCE—Home-grown selling on orders at 25@50c per bu box.

STRING BEANS—Lower under larger receipts and moving slowly. Florida round green at $1.50@1.75; Texas flat green at 50c per bu box; wax, 50c per bu box for round.

LOCAL MARKET—Steady and unchanged; sales, none.

Quotations:

GREEN PEAS—Moving slowly and easy in price. Arkansas at 50c for 1-3 bu boxes.

RADISHES—Home-grown at 2@3c per dozen bunches.

SPINACH—Dull. Home-grown plentiful, hence consignments slow and low priced. Home-grown sold at 10@15 per bushel box, loose.

KALE—Consignments not wanted. Home-grown at 10c per bu box.

EGG PLANT—Lower. Florida at $3@3.50 per 1½-bu crate.

CARROTS—New Orleans quotable at 25c per dozen bunches.

KOHLRABI—New Orleans at 30c per dozen bunches.

ENDIVES—Southern not wanted.

TURNIPS—New Orleans quotable at 30c per dozen for choice green tops.

SHALLOTS—New Orleans are unsalable (home-grown onions being plentiful).

ASPARAGUS—40@50c per doz hand bunches.

PEPPERS—Slow. Sales of Florida at $3 per 6-basket crate.

GUMBO—Florida at $2.50 per 6-basket crate.

SQUASH—Florida at $1.50 per tomato crate.

BEETS—Home-grown at 30@40c per doz bunches.

CAULIFLOWER—Home-grown quotable at $1@$1.25 per dozen; culls and small less.

NUTS.

PECANS—In limited demand; nominal. Texas at 7½c; Western at 5@6c.

PEANUTS—Farmers' stocks at 2½c per pound for red to 2½c for white; recleaned and graded at 3⅜c to 5¼c.

HICKORY NUTS—Dull at 20@25c per bu.

POPCORN—$1@1.30 per 100 lbs.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

BUTTER—Steady and fair trade; supply fair.

Creamery—		Dairy—	
Extra	20 @20½	Firsts	16
Firsts	18	Seconds	17
Seconds	17	Store packed	10 @11
Ladle packed—		Grease	4 @ 5
Extras	15	Process—	
Firsts	14	Extras	16

CHEESE—Firm. Full cream, twins, 11½c; singles, 11¾c; Y. A., 13c. Illinois—Twins, 8½c; singles, 11¾c; Y. A., 8¼c. New York full cream, 12c; limburger, 11@11½c; Swiss, 15@16c; brick, 11@11½c.

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EGG MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Market firm; receipts, 11,000 cases; sales at 13½ for Western stock, 12½@13c for Southern and 13¼@14c for storage.

Kansas City—Sales at 10@10½c.

Chicago—Receipts, 16,730 cases. Sales at 11½c. Market steady.

St. Louis—Receipts, 2909 cases; shipments, 1645 cases. Sales at 10c, loss off.

POULTRY.

LIVE—Chickens—Hens, 7½c; old roosters, 4c; broilers, 2 pounds or under, 12@13c; spring chickens, per pound, 18@30c. Turkeys—Hens, 7c; toms, 6c. Ducks, 7c. Geese—Feathered, 4c; plucked, 3c. Live pigeons, per dozen, $1.

DRESSED ICE—Turkeys—Hens, 8c; chickens, 7c, roosters, 5c; ducks, 7½c.

Post-Dispatch quotations are for carload lots in first hands unless otherwise quoted. Butchers, drovers and market men buy selected stock and pay higher prices.

COTTON.

LOCAL MARKET—Quiet and unchanged; sales, none.

Quotations:

Ordinary	8 3-16c
Good ordinary	8 11-16c
Low middling	9 1-16c
Middling	9⅝c
Good middling	9⅞c
Middling fair	10c

Tinges and stains ¼@⅜c below white.

WAREHOUSE STATEMENT TO-DAY.

	1899-1900.	1898-1899.
Net receipts to-day	17	743
Net receipts since Sept. 1	148,762	174,663
Net shipments to-day	341	317
Net shipments since Sept. 1	165,061	111,218
Gross receipts to-day	211	1,882
Gross receipts since Sept. 1	779,913	937,272
Gross shipments to-day	535	1,456
Gross shipments since Sept. 1	796,212	882,998
Stock on hand	48,597	88,522

NEW YORK—Spot quiet; middlings, 9⅞c; futures closed steady.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
May	9.67	9.67	9.63	9.67
June	9.51	9.52	9.50	9.51
July	9.48	9.47	9.47	9.48
August	9.28	9.30	9.27	9.29
September	8.51	8.52	8.50	8.50
October	8.26	8.29	8.25	8.04
November	8.05	8.07	8.04	8.04
December	8.04	8.05	8.03	8.04

LIVERPOOL—Spot business good and prices unchanged; uplands, 5 7-16d; sales, 18,000 bales; futures closed quiet; May, 5 20-64d b; May and June, 5 19-64d s; June and July, 5 16-64d s; July and Aug., 5 14-64d b; Aug. and Sept., 5 6-64d b; Sept. and Oct., 4 48-64d b; Oct. and Nov., 4 36-64d s; Nov. and Dec., 4 30-64d b.

LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, May 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,500; steers steady to strong; butchers' stock active, strong; good to prime steers, $4.85@5.80; poor to medium, $4.10@4.75; stockers and feeders, $3.75@5; cows, $3@4.65; heifers, $3.25@5; canners, $2.40@3; bulls, $2.80@4.35; calves, $4@6.50; Texas fed steers strong, $4@5.20; Texas bulls, steady, $3.25@3.75. Hogs—Receipts to-day, 22,000; to-morrow, 18,000; left over, 2766; active, stronger. Tops, $5.42½; mixed and butchers, $5.10@5.40; good to choice heavy, $5.25@5.42½; rough heavy, $5.10@5.20; light, $4.95@5.30; bulk of sales, $5.20@5.30. Sheep—Receipts, 17,000; about steady. Good to choice wethers, $5.40@5.75; fair to choice mixed, $5@5.45; Western sheep, $5.50@5.75; yearlings, $5.65@6; native lambs, $5.50@7.40; Western lambs, $6@7.40.

Official yesterday: Cattle—Receipts, 20,426; shipments, 4926. Hogs—Receipts, 22,420; shipments, 6083. Sheep—Receipts, 12,101; shipments, nothing.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 6000; market strong. Native steers, $3.85@5.35; Texas steers, $4.10@5.00; Texas cows, $3.00@3.90; native cows and heifers, $2.25@5.00; stockers and feeders, $3.50@5.50; bulls, $3.50@4.75. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market strong, 5c higher and active. Bulk of sales, $5.00@5.20; heavy, $5.17½@5.25; packers, $5.00@5.15; mixed, $4.90@5.10; light, $4.65@5.05; yorkers, $4.95@5.05; pigs, $4.05@4.90. Sheep—Receipts, 4000; market strong. Lambs, $5.75@7.50; muttons, $3.00@5.50.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, Mo., May 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 1300; market steady. Hogs—Receipts, 4300; market strong to 5c higher. Bulk, $5.10@5.15; range, $5.00@5.25. Sheep—Receipts, 1500; market steady to strong.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., May 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 3700; market active, stronger. Native beef steers, $4.25@5.25; cows and heifers, $3.70@4.80; canners, $2.25@3.60; stockers and feeders, $3.70@5.30; calves, $3@7; bulls, stags, etc., $3@4.20. Hogs—Receipts, 8000; market shade higher. Heavy, $5.17½@5.30; mixed, $5.12½@5.15; light, $5.05@5.17½; pigs, $4.75@5. Sheep—Receipts, 5500; market steady; lambs, 10c higher. Yearlings, $5.25@5.65; wethers, $5@5.40; stock sheep, $4.50@5; lambs, $5.50@7.10.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, May 10.—Expectation of a bearish government crop report and cessation of rains in the Southwest, where there has been of late too much moisture, gave wheat a weak start to-day. There was a slight rally shortly after the opening, on advices from Michigan that the state crop report showed a drop in condition to 54, but the improvement was only temporary. Lower cables added to the weakness. July opened ⅛@¼c lower, at 66¾@67c, advanced to 67⅛c and sold off again to 66⅞@67c. Chicago received 19 cars, none of which graded contract. Minneapolis and Duluth got 279 cars, compared with 196 for the same day last year.

Favorable planting weather weakened corn at the opening. There was only a few small holdings for sale, however, and as shorts took advantage of the drop to cover these offerings were soon absorbed. Then buying for the long account set in and the early loss was soon recovered and a slight advance added thereto. July opened ¼@⅜c lower, at 38⅛@38⅜c, and advanced to 39c. Receipts, 144 cars.

Oats ruled dull and easier. Receipts, 85 cars. July opened ⅛@¼c lower, at 22½@22⅝c, and rose to 22⅞c.

Diminishing hog receipts and higher prices at the yards strengthened provisions. There was a soft spot early on profit-taking, but the market soon turned strong again on active buying. July pork opened unchanged, at $11.65, touched $11.62½, advanced to $11.82½ and reacted to $11.77½. July lard opened 2½c higher, at $6.90, eased off to $6.87½ and advanced to $6.97½. July ribs opened a shade lower, at $6.60, sold at $6.57½ and rose to $6.67½.

CHICAGO, May 10.—Cash wheat: No. 2 red, 72c; No. 3 do, 67@71c; No. 2 hard winter, 65½c; No. 3 do, 61@64½c; No. 1 Northern spring, 66½@67½c; No. 2 do, 65½@66½c; No. 3 spring, 62@65c. Corn—No. 2, 39c; No. 3, 38⅞@39c. Oats—No. 2, 23½@24c; No. 3, 23½c.

CHICAGO, May 10.—Close: Wheat—May, 65½c; July, 67c. Corn—May, 37⅞c; July, 38⅞@39c. Oats—May, 22⅝c; June, 22⅝c; July, 22¾c. Pork—May, $11.50; July, $11.65. Lard—May, $6.85; July, $6.87½; Sept., $6.90@6.92½. Ribs—May, $6.52½; July, $6.57½; Sept., $6.57½. Flax—Cash Northwest, $1.80; Southwest, $1.80; May, $1.80; Sept., $1.25; Oct., $1.19. Rye, 53½c. May barley, 37@43½c. Timothy, $2.50.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 10.—Wheat—July, 62c; cash No. 2, 63c; No. 3, 61@62c; No. 2 red, 67@68c; No. 3, 62@66c. Corn—July, 36½c; cash No. 2 mixed, 37@37⅛c; No. 2 white, 38½c; No. 3, 38¼c. Oats—No. 2, 26½@26¾c. Rye—No. 2, 54c. Hay—Choice timothy, $10.50@11.00; choice prairie, $7.25@7.50. Butter—Creamery, 16@18c; dairy, fancy, 15c. Eggs—Fresh, 10c. Receipts—Wheat, 64 cars.

CHICAGO, May 10.—Butter steady; creameries, 14@19½c; dairies, 13@16½c. Eggs steady; fresh, 10¾@11½c. Iced poultry dull; turkeys, 10c; chickens, 9@9½c; ducks, 8@9c.

PEORIA, Ill., May 10.—Corn steady; No. 2, 38c. Oats steady; No. 3 white, 24½@24¾c. Whisky firm on the basis of $1.25 for finished goods.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Butter—Receipts, 3548 packages; firm; Western creamery, 16½@20½c; factory, 13@15c. Cheese—Receipts, 3342 packages; irregular; fancy large white, 10½c; fancy large colored, 10½@10¾c; fancy small white, 9¼@9½c; fancy small colored, 9½@9¾c. Eggs—Receipts, 11,739 packages; steady; storage Western at mark, 13½@13¾c; regular packing at mark, 12¼@12½c; Southern at mark, 11½@13c. Sugar—Raw steady; refined, quiet. Coffee weak; No. 7 Rio, 7⅝c sellers.

LIVERPOOL, May 10.—Close: Wheat ½d lower; July, 5s 8¾d; Sept., 5s 8¾d. Corn steady, ½d to ¾d lower; May 4s 1d; July, 3s 11½d; Sept., 3s 11½d.

ST. LOUIS STOCKS AND BONDS.

Reported by Gaylord, Blessing & Co.

	Bid.	Asked.
Continental National Bank	$171 00	$173 00
Mechanics' Bank		205 00
Merchants-Laclede National	157 00	
National Bank of Commerce	250 00	
Third National Bank		150 00
Lincoln Trust Co	148 00	152 00
St. Louis Trust Co	199 00	
Meramec Railway 6s	113 50	114 25
Broadway Cable 6s	100 00	
St. Louis & Suburban Ry. 5s	104 25	104 50
do stocks	60 50	63 00
United Railway 4s	85 75	86 00
do pfd	68 75	69 00
Transit	19 75	20 25
Ely-Walker com	122 50	
Columbia Lead	13 25	14 00
Mound City Railway	100 25	
Union Depot Railway, 25-year	123 50	124 00
do 10-20year	101 25	
American Central Ins. Co	43 00	44 00
Missouri-Edison Electric stock		54 00
do common		20 00
Granite-Bimetallic	2 65	2 70
Brewery bonds	99 75	100 25
St. Joe Lead Co.	14 25	15 00
San Sebastian	09	10
American-Nettie Mining		1 35

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New Orleans	10c discount	Par

UNITED STATES BONDS.

U. S. 3s reg. 3 in coin 1900 Q from Aug.	109½	110½
U. S. 3s cp. 3 in coin 1918 Q from Aug.	109½	110
U. S. 4s reg. 4 in coin 1907 Q from May.	114¾	115¼
U. S. 4s cp. 4 in coin 1907 Q from May.	114¾	115¼
U. S. 5s reg. 5 in coin 1904 Q from Jan.	112½	113¼
U. S. 5s cp. 5 in coin 1904 Q from Jan.	112½	113¼
U. S. 4s reg. 4 in coin 1925 Q from Mar.	134¼	134¾
U. S. 4s cp. 4 in coin 1925 Q from Aug.	134¼	134¾
U. S. 2s reg. 2 in coin 1900 Q from Aug.	103	104
U. S. 2s reg. 2 in coin 1900 Q from May.	101¼	....

Local Bank Clearings.

To-day's clearing-house statement shows: Clearings, $5,032,223; balances, $782,620.

Wall Street.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Foreign operators responded to the late improvement in prices in this market yesterday by marking up Americans sharply all around. Local traders followed the London lead and opened the market with general improvements. Gains were most pronounced in the middle grade and low-priced stocks, notably American Steel and Wire, American Smelting, B. & O., Missouri Pacific. Steel and Wire common and preferred advanced 3 and 2 respectively. Sugar was feverish and reacted a large fraction after an initial gain.

The temper of speculation underwent a change immediately after the opening, when a determined attack was made on American Tobacco, depressing it 5¼ points on large offerings. This was due to the unfavorable analysis made of the company's annual report. Continental Tobacco declined a point, sympathetically. Reactions in the iron and steel issues were trivial outside of the Steel and Wire stocks, which lost between 1 and 2 points. Pressure against the railroad list was inspired by a decrease in the earnings of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul for the first week in May, and the western and trunk line stocks were sold down sharply. After Sugar had given way to 112½, the shorts took all offerings, and their demand quickly advanced it again to the opening figure. At 11 o'clock the market was about steady.

A rally in prices met realizing orders and the decline was accelerated by heavy selling of Sugar, which fell 3 points. The average level was held above the earlier low range, but B. & O. gave way ½ from the best. Bonds ruled quiet.

New York Money and Exchange.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Noon—Money on call nominally at 2@2½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3½@4½c; sterling exchange easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.88½ for demand and at $4.84½@4.84¾ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.85@4.85½ and $4.89@4.89½; commercial bills, $4.83¾@4.84¼; silver certificates, 60@60½c; bar silver, 59⅞c; Mexican dollars, 47½c.

Government bonds steady; refundings 2s, when issued, 102⅝; 2s, reg., 99¼; 3s, reg., 109; do coupon, 109; new 4s, reg., 133⅞; do coupon, 133⅞; old 4s, reg., 114½; do coupon, 114½; 5s, reg., 112⅝; do coupon, 112⅝.

New York Stocks.

Reported daily by Whitaker & Hodgman, bond and stock brokers, St. Louis, Mo.

NEW YORK, May 10.

STOCKS	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. C. & F. com	16½	16⅝	16¼	16⅝
do pfd	65⅝	65⅝	64⅞	65
Am. Steel & Wire com	38⅝	40⅛	38⅝	40⅛
do pfd	78½	80	78	80
Am. Tin Plate com	26¼	27	26¼	26¼
Am. Tob. com	100¼	100⅝	95⅛	97⅛
Anaconda Mining Co	43½	44	43½	43¾
A. T. & Santa Fe	24¾	25⅛	24⅝	25
do pfd	68⅞	69	68⅝	69
Baltimore & Ohio com	77	77	75⅞	76⅝
do 1st pfd	80⅝	80⅞	80¼	80⅞
Brook. Rapid Transit	72⅛	72⅛	71⅛	72
Canadian Pacific	97			97
Ches. & Ohio	28⅞	28⅞	28⅝	28⅞
C. B. & Quincy	124⅝	124⅞	123⅞	124⅝
C. Great Western com	12⅝	13	12⅝	12⅞
do pfd A	75	75	74⅛	74⅞
do pfd B	39			39
C. C. C. & St. L	59⅛	59⅞	58⅞	59⅝
Colo. Fuel & Iron	38⅛	39	38	39
Cont. Tob. com	29	29	27⅞	27⅞
do pfd	79⅛	79⅛	78⅞	79
Delaware & Hudson	114⅛	114½	114	114
Erie com	12			12
do pfd	37	37	36⅞	37
Federal Steel com	39⅛	40⅛	39⅝	40
do pfd	67⅞	68⅛	67⅞	68⅛
Illinois Central	113⅝			113⅝
Jersey Central	117	117	116⅞	116⅞
Laclede Gas com	65	66	65	66
Louisville & Nashville	80⅛	80⅞	79⅞	80⅞
Met. Traction Co	152	153	151⅛	153
Missouri Pacific	55⅛	57⅛	55⅛	57⅛
M., K. & T. pfd	33	34	33	34
Manh. El. Cons'd	92	92⅞	91⅞	92⅛
Nat. Bis. com	30⅛	30⅛	30⅛	30⅛
North American	14⅝	14⅞	14⅝	14⅞
Northern Pac. com	56⅛	56⅛	55⅞	56⅛
do pfd ex-div.	73⅛	74	73⅞	74
New York Central	131⅛	132	130⅞	131⅛
Norfolk & West. com	34⅛	35⅛	34⅛	35
do pfd	78			78
Ont. & Western	21⅝	21⅞	21⅝	21⅞
Pacific Mail	31			31
People's G. L. & C. Co.	102⅛	103⅛	101⅞	103⅛
Phil. & Reading	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
do 1st pfd	56	56⅞	55⅛	56⅞
Pullman Car	182			182
Rock Island	106⅛	106⅞	106⅛	106⅞
Rubber com	28⅛	28⅛	27⅞	28⅛
St. L. & S. W. pfd	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛
St. L. & S. F. com	10⅛			10⅛
do 2d pfd	33			33
Southern common	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛
do pfd	55⅛	55⅛	54⅞	55⅛
Steel Hoop common	23	23⅞	22⅞	23⅛
do pfd	71⅛	72	71⅛	72
St. Paul common	116	116⅞	115⅛	116⅛
Sugar common	113⅛	113⅛	110⅛	110⅛
Tenn. Coal & Iron	79	79	78	78
Texas Pacific	17⅛	17⅛	17	17⅛
Union Bag & Paper com	13			13
do pfd	58			58
Union Pacific	53⅛	54⅛	53⅛	54⅛
do pfd	73⅛	74	73⅞	74
U. S. Leather com	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
do pfd	70⅛	70⅞	70	70⅞
Western Union Tel.	81⅛	81⅛	79⅞	80⅞
Wabash common	8⅛	8⅛	8	8⅛
do pfd	22⅛	22⅛	21⅞	22⅛
American Linseed com	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
do pfd	56	56	55⅞	55⅞
Inter. Paper com	22⅛	22⅛	22	22⅛
do pfd	63⅛	63⅛	63⅛	63⅛
Rep. Steel com	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
do pfd	57			57
Southern Pacific	34	34⅛	33⅞	34⅛
Canada Southern	53	53⅛	53	53⅛

CITY NEWS.

Now is a good time to shop at Crawford's, goods have taken a tumble, you can get waited upon at once, with two or even three "clerks, and several shop-walkers thrown in." Never in their long career have Crawford's people been so well able to wait upon you as now. Go there and see.

WAS TAKEN FOR AN INFORMER

Joseph Noonan Shot and Wounded in the Hip Because He Was Suspected of Telling Things.

Joseph Noonan, baker, at 3023 Easton avenue, was shot Thursday morning, near Seventh and Elm streets, he says, by John Julian.

Noonan had a wound in his hip dressed at the City Dispensary and was sent to the City Hospital. Julian escaped.

Noonan claims that he was shot because he was suspected of giving the police information.

FOR THE TEACHERS' PICNIC.

Preparations Progressing for the Big Annuity Festival.

Arrangements for the festival and picnic to be given by the Teachers' Annuity Association at the Fair Grounds July 2 are reported to be progressing favorably. A meeting of the general committee on arrangements and the various sub-committees was held Wednesday afternoon.

About 100 well-known St. Louis men have been asked to act as a reception committee, and the majority of them have signified their willingness to do so. Liberal gifts of flags and bunting for decorative purposes have been made by various business houses. The High School has announced that it will give 18 of its field-day events toward the entertainment of those present at the picnic, and the High School Cadets will give a drill.

"Among the Ozarks."

The Land of the Big Red Apples is an attractive and interesting book, with views of South Missouri scenery. It pertains to fruit-raising in that great fruit belt of America, the southern slope of the Ozarks, and is of interest to fruit-growers and to every farmer and home-seeker looking for a farm and a home. Mailed free. Adress,

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THIRD DISTRICT RALLY.

Joe Bailey of Texas to Open the Democratic Campaign.

The Democratic campaign in the Third Congressional District, Dockery's old district, will open with a big rally at Bethany, Tuesday, May 15. Joseph W. Bailey of Texas, former Democratic leader in Congress, the next Senator from Texas, A. M. Dockery, candidate for governor, Congressman John Dougherty, and other candidates for state offices, will speak. The rally will be held in a tent in which 7000 may be seated.

During the day the Third Congressional Convention will be held.

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CREDIT MEN'S ELECTION.

Association Will Chose New Officers Thursday Night.

The annual meeting and election of the St. Louis Credit Men's Association will be held at the Mercantile Club Thursday night. The nominating committee has presented the names of the following candidates:

President, G. H. Oliver; vice-president, Niles H. Foster; treasurer, John A. Lewis. Five members will also be elected to serve a two years' term on the executive board.

We have sold more bicycles during the strike than other dealers combined; reason, price $14.75 to $18.75 and guarantee. Neustadt, 413 North Twelfth street.

OLD MAN HURT IN A RUNAWAY.

His Collar-Bone Broken When His Horse Bolted.

Richard Kuhn, 78 years old, living at 110 Spruce street, was the victim of a runaway accident Wednesday afternoon. A piece of falling tin frightened his horse at Seventh street and Geyer avenue. The animal ran and Kuhn was thrown from the wagon. He was sent to the City Hospital with a fractured collar bone.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething rests the child and comforts the mother. 25c.

PUSHED OFF A TRAIN.

Burt Cheatham's Leg Broken in an Accident at Baden.

Burt Cheatham, a laborer, living at Baden, was crowded from a moving Burlington car near the North Market Street Station Wednesday evening and painfully injured.

Cheatham attempted to force his way on the crowded platform of the car. He maintained his hold until the train moved off, then he fell. His right leg was fractured and his scalp torn.

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HARD WORK FOR THE POLICEMEN.

Little Rest for Them Since the Strike Began.

ON ALMOST INCESSANT DUTY.

HOURS AS LONG AS THE MEN CAN STAND THEM.

In Spite of This, the Police Officers and Patrolmen Alike Are Doing Their Duty Cheerfully and Wiht Determination.

The entire metropolitan police department of St. Louis has been almost reorganized since the street railway strike begun. Hours of duty have been changed and all the force has practically done both day and night duty ever since the strike was inaugurated.

Within ten minutes after notice is given now, every policeman in the city can be placed on duty. Many of the men have been on duty ever since Tuesday morning, when the trouble first began, with scarcely any rest. The police officials realize that the strength of the men cannot last under this continued strain, but they can see no way of obtaining relief until the troubles between the railway men and their employes are adjusted.

When the strike began the night platoon of police was on duty. The regulations prescribed that these men shall be relieved at 11 o'clock every day. But regulations were swept away by the exigencies of the occasion. Then men on duty were informed that they would remain until they were relieved. Messengers were dispatched to the homes of the police comprising the day platoon and most of these were on duty hours before 11 o'clock, their regular time to report. The night platoon, though having worked for 12 consecutive hours when the call for the second platoon was issued, remained on duty right straight through.

The day men who went on duty at various hours Tuesday remained at their posts until 11 o'clock that night. Then, realizing that the strength of the officers must be preserved, Chief Campbell ordered them to their homes, with instructions to report for duty at 6 o'clock every morning until further orders were issued.

Thus it will be seen that many of the patrolmen have practically been on duty nearly ever since the trouble opened, with only a few hours' rest.

This new order practically makes the hours of the police incessant. They report at early morning and remain on duty until all trouble in all parts of the city is at an end. This may be early or late. Then such patrolmen as the officers in charge may think most need rest are relieved for a few hours.

These hard hours are not alone for the patrolmen. The captains and lieutenants report for duty at the same hour and remain on duty constantly. Chief Campbell and Assistant Chief Pickel work the same hours as the others. Chief Campbell is in charge at the Four Courts during the day and Inspector Edward J. Lally is in charge at night.

Chief Campbell is proud of the manner in which his men have faced the emergency. Notwithstanding the great strain to which they have been subjected they have made no complaints. They have gone about their duty with the cheerfulness that marks a good soldier. Only one case of disobedience has come under the observation of the officers and that was promptly dealt with.

Cots were delivered at the Four Courts and to all of the police stations Wednesday for the use of the reserve men that have been on constant duty since the strike began. Outside of the reserve that caution demands be left at the station for emergency duty, every policeman in the city was still on duty Thursday morning and will remain so long as strength lasts. So far not a single patrolman has given way beneath the strain, though the test to which they have been subject has told on them and many eyes have lost their natural luster and the step is not so elastic as it was formerly. But the men go about their duty with a determination and a doggedness that cannot but command admiration.

RAILROAD ASSESSMENTS.

Board at Clayton Fixes Them for St. Louis County.

At a meeting of the County Board at Clayton Wednesday the railroad companies operating lines through St. Louis County were assessed as follows.

Missouri Pacific: For 29.49 miles of roadbed and six miles of double track to Kirkwood, $16,000 per mile. Depots, platforms ~~and other~~ improvements listed with the railroad propetry, a total of $2450.

On the Carondelet branch of the same road, 9.20 miles at the rate of $8000 per miles and 3.31 miles of sidetrack, $3000.

The Creve Coeur Lake branch in about the some proportion as the Carondelet division.

The St. Louis and San Francisco road, $10,000 for improvements at Jefferson Barracks, Quarantine, Cliff Cave and White House. Mileage, at an average rate of $11,000 per mile.

The Wabash road's average assessment was also fixed at $11,000.

The St. Louis, Keokuk & Northwestern return showed 15 miles of track in the county, assessed at the rate of $16,000 a mile.

The St. Louis, Kansas City & Colorado Railroad has 33 miles of roadbed, assessed at the rate of $5500 per mile.

ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVAL.

Will Be Held May 15 and 16 in the School Hall.

St. Patrick's Church festival will be held May 15 and 16 in St. Patrick's School Hall, 1211 North Sixth street.

Ancient Order night is to be the first night of the fair, when the officers of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and the members of the Daughters of Erin will furnish novel features. Supper will be served by the women of the parish every evening.

The committees in charge are: Reception, Terence Martin, Francis J. T. Grimes, John J. Connor, Daniel McNellis, James McEleVey, James O'Donnell, John M. McInerny, Matt A. Carroll, Charles W. Rippe, Patrick J. Staed, W. H. and J. J. Stapleton, James A. Dacey, John J. O'Connor, E. Sullivan. Floor: John P. Sweeney, George P. Hoeffel, Daniel Kerwin, Patrick Slattery, Patrick Connors, James O'Neill, B. Nolan, Patrick O'Connell, Patrick Flaherty, Patrick Dacey, Patrick O'Donnell, Thomas Golden, John O'Loughlin, Patrick McHale, P. Berney, Patrick Burke, Patrick Burns, Patrick Dougherty, P. McElevey, P. Manion, P. Lee, Patrick Ryan, Patrick Sculley, P. Cunniffe, Patrick Delaney.

THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Landvogt Married Fifty Years Ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Landvogt of 3714 N. Ninth street celebrated their golden wedding, the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage, Wednesday evening. Three children, fourteen grandchildren and a number of friends were present. Supper was served, and the Apollo Singing Society rendered several selections. Short speeches were also made by several members of the merry party.

Shot in the Hand.—A. G. Dawson, a barber, accidentally shot himself in the hand Wednesday night, at Belt Avenue and the Rock road, while examining his revolver. Dr. A. C. Housh, 505 Missouri avenue, removed the bullet.

LUMBER RAFT ESCAPED

FLOATED DOWN THE RIVER AT NIGHT.

CAUGHT THURSDAY MORNING.

Company Owning It Suspects That the Mooring Ropes May Have Been Cut.

Some time after Wednesday midnight an immense fleet of rafted timber, containing 1,000,000 feet, owned by the Knapp, Stout & Co. company, got away from its moorings at the foot of Salisbury street and floated down the river. Several steamers in port below the bridge followed and succeeded in landing the big raft at the foot of Marine avenue without much loss to the company that owns it. The raft was in safe harbor, well watched and well tied, Thursday morning. These conditions, together with the fact that the river was low and that there was no particular strain on the great ropes that held it gives evidence that some one knifed the ropes.

The company has, for two weeks, been having trouble with lumber pullers, who asked an advance of 2 cents per course over last year's wage scale, for taking the lumber out of the water.

As told in the Post-Dispatch Tuesday, the company imported a number of negroes Monday from Hannibal, Mo., who went to work taking the place of the strikers Monday.

The raft's value is estimated at about $10,000.

REALTY AT AUCTION.

Strike Will Not Defer the Sale of Acreage Tracts at Auction.

Should the strike still be on Saturday, those desiring to attend the sale will take the Wabash R. R. (Union Station-, 7:40 a. m., to Bridgeton, or the Suburban to Wellston, and St. Charles Electric to German Orphans' Home. Should the strike be off by Saturday, take the Delmar car (Washington avenue), transfer to the Midland Electric to Adie Road, whichever route is most convenient for you. At each place there will be free conveyances to ASHBY HEIGHTS.

Remember the time of this unexceptional opportunity of acreage lots at auction, without reserve, Saturday, the 12th, at 10 o'clock. Ashby Heights. This is really the first chance to purchase tracts from three to six acres (probably not exceeding $100 or $150) on terms, one-eighth each year, with 5 per cent interest. $50 earnest money required on bidding off each tract.

We assure those attending this sale that this property will be sold, not on the modern scheming plans, but to the highest bona fide bidder.

Magnolia Heights Auction.

There are some lots in this subdivision that will gladden the heart of the buyer because of the low price they may sell for under the directions to close out the tract if possible. Henry Hiemenz, Jr., will conduct the sale Saturday, May 12, upon the premises. The lots front on Magnolia, Arkansas, Tennessee and Sidney, and the handsome subdivisions all around Magnolia Heights makes it attractive property.

LIMIT FOR SECOND OFFENSE.

Judge Adams Gives R. P. Walle, Bill-Raiser, Ten Years.

Richard P. Wolle, artist, charged with raising treasury notes and passing them, was sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary Wednesday by Judge Adams of the United States Court.

Two years ago Wolle was convicted of using the mails for fraudulent purposes and served more than a year at Jefferson City. Judge Adams recognized the prisoner when he was brought before him Wednesday and remarked that evidently the previous sentence had not been severe enough to teach Mr. Wolle a lesson, so he would give him the limit of the law.

Wolle, who pleaded guilty, begged for mercy. He declared that Prentice Tiller, who robbed the Pacific Express Co. of $70,000 several years ago, and whom he had met in the penitentiary, was responsible for his second violation of Uncle Sam's laws. He said Tiller gave him the raised bill, which he passed.

CARRIAGE RAN HIM DOWN.

D. S. Boulard's Ankle Broken and Head Cut in the Accident.

D. S. Boulard, a salesman, boarding at 1431 Locust street, was struck by a carriage and painfully injured early Thursday morning at the corner of Chestnut street and Jefferson avenue. The wheel of the vehicle knocked him off the curb into the street. His right ankle was fractured and his head cut.

The injured man is at the City Hospital. He says his home is in Arkansas.

DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION

MAKES WEAK WOMEN STRONG AND SICK WOMEN WELL

NOTES FROM "ELSIE"

THEY ARE CAUSING TROUBLE TO SOME SUSPICIOUS WIVES.

MERELY AN ADVERTISEMENT.

But Their Wording and the Ribbon Sample They Contain Prove Disconcerting Sometimes.

Nearly 3500 married men in St. Louis received dainty love letters through the mails during the last week. The writers of these affectionate missives were not the wives of the men who received them; and that is what started the trouble.

Some of the men who received the letters left them where their wives would find them. When a woman gets hold of a bird's-egg blue envelope addressed to her husband in a feminine hand, she doesn't stop to think; she acts; especially when it contains this sort of a note:

> Dearest: In our hurry last night I forgot to tell you to be sure to get me 10 yards of the ribbon. I think it will be enough. How I did enjoy being with you again. The next time you want me to meet you for lunch, I want to be sure you take me to the —— lunchroom, where they have such lovely strawberry shortcake. Lovingly, ELSIE.

The little piece of red satin ribbon pinned to the letter only makes it worse.

Of course the letter is merely an advertisement designed by a restaurant keeper, but in more than one case it has caused temporary domestic upheavals.

The restaurant keeper doesn't care. When an angry spouse goes to his place in search of "Elsie" he soothes her wrath, explains it all—and sells her a meal.

SHE WOULDN'T MIND THE PUP

Peter Kinsler Asked His Wife to Look After a Juvenile Dog, but She Left and Didn't Return.

Peter Kinsler of Darmstadt, Ill., asked his wife to look carefully after a pup. Now Mr. Kinsler is searching diligently for his wife and is willing to take care of the pup himself and do almost anything else if she will only go back home.

Mr. Kinsler is a farmer, living between Darmstadt and Marissa, near the border of St. Clair and Washington counties. He has a kennel of fine dogs and a pup by which he sets great store. Sunday night he requested his wife to give the juvenile dog some attention and went to bed, leaving her sitting up, mending the children's clothes. He was just dozing when she left the house. He thought she had gone out to look after the pup, and did not wake up until Monday morning. He then found that his wife had not occupied her bed.

Alarmed, Kinsler made inquiries among the neighbors, but none of them had seen his wife. Tuesday he learned that she had been seen in New Athens, twelve miles away. He went there and learned that she had taken a northbound train.

Monday night the woman sought lodging at the Republican House in Belleville. The clerk, George Sauerwein, whose home is in Marissa, recognized her and she was given a room. The next morning she left, saying she was going to St. Louis to do some shopping and from there she might go to Kimmswick, Mo., where she has a sister, Mrs. John Haltenberger.

Kinsler learned that his wife had been in Belleville and went there Wednesday. He was unable to get further trace of her there and after visiting all the places which he considered that she might have gone to, he left for Kimmswick. After he had gone it was reported that a woman supposed to be his wife had been seen walking along the turnpike toward St. Louis.

Mrs. Kinsler is 34 years old. She is quite slender, weighing only about 100 pounds. She has brown eyes and hair and a brown spot on one cheek. The Kinslers have been married ten years and have four children. Kinsler says that for some time the health of his wife has not been good and he thinks her mind is slightly affected.

TOO MUCH PUMPING FOR JONES

Twice He Was Excavated, Though Not Ill, but He Is in a Hospital Ward.

Once there was a man who jumped into a bramble bush and scratched his eyes out. Then he jumped into another and scratched them in again. At least, that's one story.

John Jones was pumped out to make him well when he wasn't ill. Then he was pumped out again, and now he's very sick. That's another story.

John Jones—he wouldn't give his address and the name is a bit suspicious—is a sufferer at the City Hospital because his suspicious actions led a druggist to believe he had taken poison. He has enjoyed the chief sensation of an ocean voyage without ever seeing "blue peter."

Jones stood on the corner of Sixth and Washington avenue Wednesday enjoying the inalienable right of an American citizen to take a drink of whisky when he wants it. Jones wanted it on the street. A suspicious drug clerk saw the black bottle, and what followed was of interest to all except Jones.

The clerk rushed to the druggist, his employer. The druggist scented poison. A policeman confirmed the snapshot diagnosis.

Jones loudly protested, but he was hustled to the dispensary and the deadly stomach pump was applied.

Jones howled at the prospect of losing good whisky, but it didn't make the pumpers relent. He was soon as empty as a political speech.

Afterward, pale and wan, Jones was sent to the City Hospital. His story—except the pumping—went with him. The stomach pump was brought out again and Jones howled. But the doctors in haste to save a life pumped him out again, good and hard.

Jones, weakened from much pumping, was now sick indeed. He was sent to a ward and is still a patient. But he vows he is cured of drinking on the street.

CHASING A COW THIEF.

St. Louis County Authorities' Long but Fruitless Trip.

St. Louis County authorities are in search of a cow thief. Marshal Secrest and Deputy William Kenoerium have returned from Antonie in Jefferson County, where they followed a man suspected of having a valuable animal stolen from J. H. Armstrong of Kirkwood. The man they suspected satisfied them that he was innocent and there is still no clew to the identity or whereabouts of the real culprit.

BANQUET TO DR. TUHOLSKE.

Men of His Profession Honor the Returned Physician.

A banquet was given at the Southern Hotel Wednesday night by doctors in honor of Dr. Herman Tuholske, who has just returned from a year's stay in Europe, where he attended the International Congress of Physicians and Surgeons at Berlin and Amsterdam. Dr. Carson acted as toastmaster.

North St. Louis Notes.

St. Joseph's Commandery, C. K. A., will have a progressive euchre party and concert Tuesday evening, at its hall, Eleventh street, near Cass avenue.

John H. Reinhardt has been appointed superintendent of the Bremen Branch postoffice.

The various North St. Louis lumber yards are calculating on handling 65,000,000 feet of white pine rafted lumber this season.

SYRUP of FIGS

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CLEANSES THE SYSTEM EFFECTUALLY
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10 cents and 25 cents, at all drug stores.

GOING TO CAPE TOWN

SIXTY-FIVE MEN LEAVE ST. LOUIS FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

ARE IN CHARGE OF HORSES.

They Have Free Passage Back Again, but Few Are Expected to Return.

A party of 65 men left Union Station Thursday for New Orleans from whence they will sail Saturday on the Cunard Steamship "Corinthia" for Cape Town, South Africa. They will attend to a cargo of 1500 horses, which the "Corinthia" will take for the use of the British army.

The men were engaged by Charles Hagen of the shipping firm of Hagen & Johnson of New Orleans, who was in St. Louis two weeks on the mission. The majority of the members of the party are residents of St. Louis. The others come from the surrounding towns. All are experienced in the care of horses.

"'The 'Corinthia' will sail Saturday and will be 24 days on the road if she has good luck," said Mr. Hagen. "These men will receive their bedding and food for the trip and $15 as wages. The latter will be paid them as soon as the cargo is discharged at Cape Town. The 'Corinthia' will sail on the return trip within a week after she unloads, and these men will all have the privilege of returning on her free. Of course, we only undertake to give them transportation back to New Orleans and do not agree to stand good for a passage through to St. Louis.

"But probably all of them will remain in South Africa. At least, I think they are going with that intention. There is not a man in the party that has not been out of work for several months and all have welcomed the opportunity to go to a new country where there is hope of employment. There is plenty of work at good wages there, and they will all find plenty to do if they desire to remain.

"Since the war began I have shipped 25,000 horses and mules from New Orleans to the British army in the Transvaal. More than two thousand men have been required to attend the horses at various times on the trip, and I believe that of that number not 100 have returned. The others have found profitable employment there. These shipments offer good opportunity for fortune seekers to go without cost to a new land. Indeed, so small is the remuneration from us for the trip that we are compelled to draw our men from that class. Both they and we profit by this arrangement.

"Since I have been in St. Louis it has been reported that I was really taking these men to South Africa to conscript them into the British army. That could not be true. There is not an Englishman or a man born in the jurisdiction of the Kingdom of Great Britain in the party and England has only British soldiers."

ITS CELEBRATION POSTPONED.

Turnverein Golden Jubilee Deferred Till the Strike Ends.

The St. Louis Turnverein's golden celebration has been postponed on account of the strike. No definite time for it has been set.

The hall at 1508 Chouteau avenue was all decorated for the celebration, the booths were up and an informal opening was set for Wednesday night, with a formal opening for Thursday night. Everything will remain in statu quo till the strike is over.

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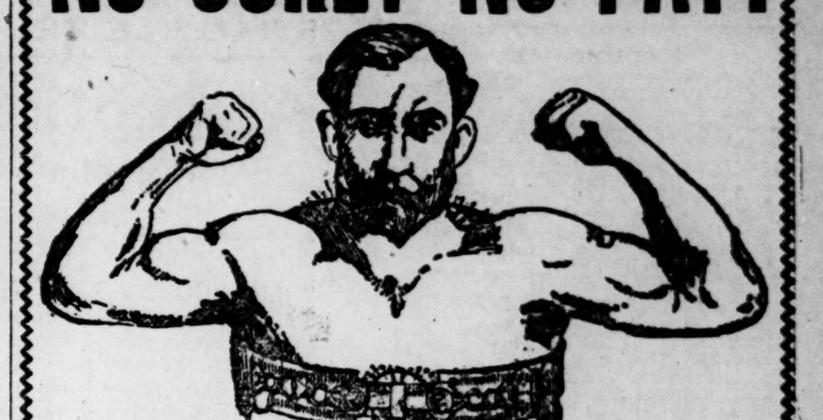

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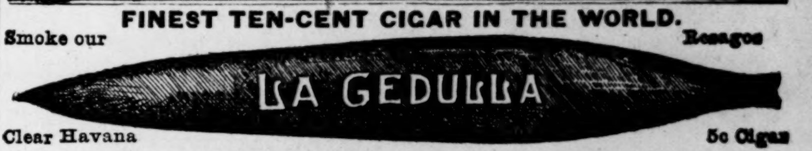

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—AT—
10:30 A. M., Friday, May 11th.

List of goods to be sold Friday, May 11th, 10:30 A. M., at 1810 Chouteau Avenue, at Constable's Sale. A rare opportunity to get a high-class office outfit cheap.

6 large paintings.
3 large Turkish rugs.
1 three-section book-case.
1 solid mahogany center table, 3x4½.
1 walnut letter filing case, very fine, 26 sections.
1 fine flat top piano-finish Flemish oak desk.
1 physician's desk.
1 physician's oak medicine case, very fine.
3 large mahogany, leather seat chairs.
6 small mahogany chairs.
1 rattan sofa.
2 sets Encyclopedia Brit., new.
Lot other books, fiction, history, etc.
2 small oak tables.

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SEALED PROPOSALS.

CITY PRINTING.

OFFICE OF THE CITY REGISTER,
City Hall, May 7, 1900.

Pursuant to the requirements of the charter and ordinances of the City of St. Louis, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the undersigned until 12 o'clock noon, and opened

SATURDAY, MAY 19, 1900,

from publishers of newspapers in the City of St. Louis having an uniform daily circulation of over three thousand (3000) copies, for the city printing for one year, one published in the English language and one in the German language. Said bids must propose to do the printing and advertising required by law and ordinances to be done in the newspaper, including Mullanphy Relief Fund and Collector's Office, at an uniform price per line. The printing must conform to the following, viz.:

Size, character and name of type, Nonpareil. Minimum length of line, twenty-six (26) ems. Minimum width of column, thirteen ((13) ems pica. Character of the measurement to be employed, Nonpareil.

The papers published in the English language bidding shall also state in their bid at what cost and price per page they will print two hundred ((200) copies of proceedings of the Municipal Assembly, as may be published in such paper, in pamphlet form (no blank pages to be counted), and deliver same within two days after each meeting to each House of the Municipal Assembly, also, at what price per page they will print and deliver one hundred (100) copies of the proceedings of the Board of Public Improvements, as may be published in the newspaper, in pamphlet form (no blank pages to be counted); also, what price per page they will print and deliver fifteen hundred (1500) copies of the ordinances as may be published in the newspaper, of an uniform size, suitable for binding in the customary form (no blank pages to be counted), the foregoing pamphlet work to conform in all respects to samples on file, and to be seen by bidders in this office.

All of said pamphlets shall bear on the cover or title page the imprint of the "Allied Printing Trades Council of St. Louis, Missouri," and no bids will be entertained (pursuant to Ordinance No. 19,411, approved July 6, 1898), except from parties who have the right to print on the cover or title page of said pamphlets the said imprint.

Bidders will be required to deposit with the City Treasurer the sum of five hundred dollars ($500), and attach the Treasurer's receipt to each bid; also, an affidavit that the daily circulation of the paper is three thousand (3000) copies or more.

No bid shall be considered in which there shall be an erasure or interlineation.

All bids must be indorsed "Proposals for City Printing."

Bids will be opened at the office of the City Register.

The City Register reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A bond of ten thousand ($10,000) dollars will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The English paper receiving the contract will be required to furnish one hundred (100) copies of the daily paper and twenty (20) slips of each advertisement made by the Register free of charge to said Register; also, twenty-four (24) slips of each advertisement made by the Commissioner of Supplies free of charge to said Commissioner. The German paper receiving the contract will be required to furnish seventy-five (75) copies of the daily paper free of charge to the Register.

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